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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW—ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Robert A. Denson late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of John P. Kirk, in the city of Ypsilanti, in said County, on the 15th day of April, and on the 15th day of July next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

SUMNER DAMON,  
CLIFFORD R. HUSTON,  
Commissioners.

TRACY L. TOWNER, atty. Ypsilanti, Mich.  
File No. 9,45 12-411.

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FRED W. GREEN,  
CASSIUS M. WARNER,  
Commissioners.

Dated, January 16th, 1902.

File No. 7867 11-474

John P. Kirk atty.-at-law Savings Bank Block.

### Estate of Joseph Follmore.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW—ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

Present, Willis L. Watkins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Follmore, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Morton F. Case, praying that he may be licensed to sell the real estate whereof said deceased died seized.

Thereupon it is ordered, that the 7th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ypsilanti Sentinel-Commercial, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

WILLIS L. WATKINS,  
Judge of Probate.

[A TRUE COPY.]  
JAMES E. MCGREGOR, Probate Register.

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## ONLY 5 CASES

Diphtheria Has Not Been so Prevalent as Advertised.

To the Editor:

In order to correct misapprehension concerning the prevalence of diphtheria in Ypsilanti I submit the following: There have been but five cases of diphtheria this month, but one of which is now active.

The first case was that of William Dushier, age 7 years, 28 Park street. Source of contagion unknown. This patient has recovered, but is still in quarantine, as patients are required to remain in quarantine for three weeks after recovery, according to the rules of the state board of health.

Second case—Clara Slauson, age 8 years, 143 Prospect street. Source of contagion, visited child in Detroit who had diphtheria in the fall. Taken sick Monday, Jan. 13. Reported and quarantined Thursday, Jan. 16, at 9 a. m. Died Friday morning, Jan. 17. The laundry in the rear of the dwelling and the clothing therein were disinfected by formaldehyde and boiling water. The only persons present at the funeral were the father, mother, the undertaker and the health officer.

Third case—Robert Hodges, 4 years of age, 139 Prospect street. Source of contagion, visited Clara Slauson Wednesday, Jan. 15, before the case was reported and the quarantine established. Taken sick Saturday morning, Jan. 18. This case has been quarantined since Thursday, Jan. 15, as the child's exposure to diphtheria was known. This is the only active case.

Fourth and fifth cases—Mrs. Yeager and W. H. Slauson, laundry workers, 143 Prospect street. Taken sick Sunday, Jan. 19. These cases have recovered, but are yet in quarantine.

All persons known to have been exposed, have received preventive inoculation of anti-diphtheric serum, and are confined at home until danger of development of the disease is past, which is about five days (Struppell) to seven days (Osler) from date of exposure. (Signed)

H. B. BRITTON, Health Officer.

## THE DEATH OF MISS MYRTIE HAY

Monday evening, about 7 o'clock occurred the death of Miss Myrtie Hay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hay, of Ballard street. Miss Hay had been ill with consumption for the past four years, but has not been confined to her bed till the past two weeks. Miss Hay was a prominent member of Ypsilanti's younger society and all who knew her esteemed her highly. She possessed a bright, happy disposition and always had a kind word for every one. She will be greatly missed not only by her family, but by the large circle of friends which she leaves. She was just 21 years of age. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence, 437 Ballard street. The services will be conducted by Rev. Wm. Gardam and Rev. Dr. Allen.

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FOR THE ELECTRIC LINE

Material That was Ordered  
September 8 is Just  
Arriving

The low power house of the D., Y., A. A. & J. electric line in this city affords the lucky one who is permitted to see it a wonderful sight. Before the Ypsilanti power house was made the only power house on the line for the 90 miles of road three large generators of electricity were used. Hereafter there will be eight. The new engines and generators are for the alternating current and are for furnishing the high tension voltage of 20,000 volts. Yesterday when a reporter looked in the power house four of the mammoth generators were found to be running, three furnishing the old direct current from Ypsilanti to Detroit and one of the new ones the high tension current from Ann Arbor to Jackson. When the new transforming stations are put in at Wayne and Dearborn the old generators will be refitted so as to generate current for the high potential system.

New boilers are being put into the power house. Formerly there were three of these boilers. As soon as all the new boilers are in there will be eight boilers. Already some \$2,500 a month is being spent for coal. There has been no threatened coal famine at the power house as Manager Merrill has looked out for coal so that a good supply has been on hand all the time.

The power house presents a fine appearance from the interior with the mammoth engines going full speed, all as bright as new silver dollars.

The cars are now running to Jackson every two hours. As soon as the transforming station at Francisco can be completed cars with 50 horse power motors can be used and three cars will then be put on the line between Ann Arbor and Jackson, reducing the running time so that the cars will be one hour and a half apart, and when the transforming station at Lima Center is completed the 75 horse power motors can be used on the cars, enabling them to still further reduce their running time.

It has been a very difficult matter to get supplies for the cars, the power house or the transforming stations, and material ordered Sept. 8 is just arriving. This has made it difficult to keep sufficient cars in running order on the extended line, but now that the new material is arriving the road is gradually pulling into good shape and shortly as good service can be expected to Jackson as has been the case to Detroit.

What you doin', neighbor? Helping Bill. What's Bill doin'? Helping Mandy. What's Mandy doin'? Helping Mother. What's Mother doin'? Taking Rocky Mountain Tea. Sensible family. Morford & Smith.

## "THE WHITE FRONT" A COLORED SALOON

The colored people now have a thirst parlor they can call their own, as James Clark, a swell "coon" of Detroit purchased, "The White Front" saloon of James Herrick yesterday.

There were no demonstration attending the transfer, Herrick simply handing over the keys to Clark's representative, G. W. Green, and the latter taking his place behind the bar.

A formal opening will be held within a few days, however, when the colored band will be present and liquid refreshment will be free or at reduced rates to the faithful.

Herrick has been proprietor of "The White Front" for nearly three years, and the place will remain in his name until May 1, on account of the licenses.

Ypsilanti had a colored saloon about 25 years ago, in the basement of the present Schaner building, the proprietor being William Calvin. The place did a good business, but the building caught fire one night a few hours after Calvin had sold out and before he had given possession, and it was not continued.

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06 MORTON F. CASE, Admr.,  
Ypsilanti.

## OFF SET AGAINST THE COUNTY

ALD. GAUDY SAYS YPSILANTI HAS ONE

Council meeting Monday night was a record-breaker for shortness and lack of important business, the motion to adjourn being put a few minutes after 9 o'clock, and but a single resolution coming up for consideration.

Ald. Gaudy asked for and was granted two weeks' time for the committee appointed to investigate the county's claim for statutory fine money, stating that the city will have an offset. The county must pay for precautionary measures taken to prevent the spread of contagious diseases, but from an oversight the council has always settled the bills of the health officers for fumigating after cases of scarlet fever and diphtheria. The matter is being looked into, and soon the city will have a substantial offset to the county's statutory fine bill.

City Clerk McLeod presented a bill for \$1 handed in by a citizen who said that he had paid \$3 for a license for a female dog while but \$2 is now being charged. The clerk stated that while the statute puts the license fee at \$3 for female canines the city charter cuts the rate to \$2, and that he had been following the instructions of the charter, whereupon the council voted to charge \$3 hereafter, and directed Clerk McLeod to demand an additional \$1 of all who have secured their licenses for \$2.

B. C. Page presented a bill of \$12.45 for copying the proceedings of four council meetings, and City Clerk McLeod explained that when his predecessor, J. E. McGregor, retired, he left a considerable amount of work undone, including the copying of several reports and of the proceedings of four council meetings. McLeod said that he had caught up everything but the proceedings, but had called in outside assistance for them, and that he stood ready to settle Mr. Page's bill if the city refused to assume the obligations. The bill was referred to the ways and means committee to report at the next meeting.

The council finally acknowledged that it is impossible to bring the Newton & Haggerty Ladder Co. to the city, by instructing the chairman of the ways and means committee to burn the \$6,000 issue of bonds that were voted by the people Sept. 5, to induce the ladder company to remove to Ypsilanti.

The markets committee, with Ald. Brown in place of Ald. Boyce, who is absent from the city, were directed to investigate the matter of a hay and wood market, with power to make temporary arrangements.

Mayor Thompson presented his veto of the resolution adopted at the last meeting authorizing the fire department committee to act on the petition of the Westfall livery for permission to erect a frame barn on the Davis property on Pearl street, his reason, as already published, being that the resolution is a violation of the charter. The veto was received and filed.

The Ladies' Library association came in for a mild roast, for charging five cents for the new books in face of the declaration that the library is free. "That's what you call a free library, is it?" inquired one of the aldermen when the association's practice was explained. "That's the way we get free beer, too—by paying five cents for it."

## GO TO CALIFORNIA FOR A MONTH

Ex-Mayor H. R. Scovell and wife start today for California, where they expect to spend the next month. They will spend the greater part of their time at Los Angeles, but will spend some time in San Francisco and other points and may make a trip to Old Mexico. This section of the country will not be new to Mr. Scovell as he spent three years there years ago. When he went there in 1863, he was three months reaching his destination. On the present occasion they will spend but little more than that number of days. When Mr. Scovell went by the overland route before he drove a span of mules through from the Missouri river.

## THE MAYOR TALKS "BOOM"

Mayor Thompson is an enthusiastic boomer of Ypsilanti as a manufacturing center. "Why," said he the other day, "I am told that the Huron river is one of the best rivers in the country for manufacturing purposes. There are 12,000 horse power running to waste between Birkett and Rawsonville." If everyone talked up the natural advantages of their homes at all times as does the mayor it would aid in creating the sentiment that builds up towns. There is no reason why Ypsilanti should not have 15,000 inhabitants.

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## WOMEN MOB KUBELIK.

Famous Violinist Spurned the Kisses of His Admirers.

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Brooklyn Fair Ones Pressed About the Young Player, Who Had to Fight Away From Their Embraces. They Begged For His Hair, Autographs and Pictures.

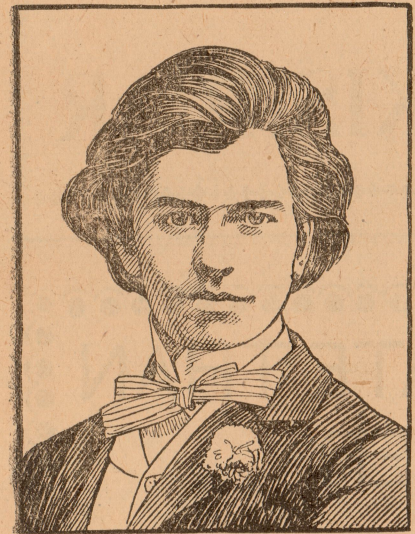
"Please go away! You worry me!" pleaded young Jan Kubelik, the famous violinist, to the swarming women who pressed about him as he tried to reach his carriage after his concert at the Brooklyn Academy of Music the other day, says the New York Journal.

"Oh, you angel!" "Oh, you darling!" "Please give me just one hair from your head!"

These and similar expressions struggled out from the dense mass of women and girls in the center of which was the hapless violinist.

"No! I won't let you kiss me!" came the high voice of the worried boy. "Ladies, please let me pass!"

This appeal brought him a foot or so nearer his carriage, but his admirers still hung about him. The coachman, who had the best place from which to view the extraordinary performance.



JAN KUBELIK.

enjoyed it thoroughly. He exchanged delighted grins with a policeman who hovered on the edge of the skirted mob. "Shall I help him out?" called the policeman.

"Naw," said the cabman; "he's doing all right."

"I don't want to be rude, ladies," came the appealing voice from the heart of the trouble, "but I must ask you to let me through. I appreciate your kindness and all that. Kindly let go of my coat, madam. I have no pictures with me. I do not give autographs. Will you please allow me to get to the carriage?"

There was a surging of the mass. Kubelik had realized that words would not help him and was forcing his way through the press, gently disengaging the hands that clung to his coat and dodging the caresses that were aimed at him in transit.

A final heave, a rush, a jump, the sound of ripping cloth, and Kubelik had gained his carriage and slammed the door. When he had recovered his breath and replaced his disturbed tie, his instinct to be gracious overcame him, and he reached his arm out of the window and waved his hand to his admirers.

Fatal gesture! In an instant it had been seized, and the women were kissing it deliciously. He had to snatch his hand from them by main force to escape.

"Go on!" he cried to the coachman, and the brougham whirled away, the wheels smearing with mud the hand-some gowns of those nearest.

The women stood gazing as long as they could see the carriage.

"I've got his handkerchief!" gurgled one girl almost hysterical with delight. The others looked at her enviously. "Ah, if they was only min!" sighed the policeman, swinging his club.

## FAVORS CHRISTIAN THEATER

Pittsburg Clergyman Suggests Endowment of Playhouses.

In his sermon the other night the Rev. G. W. Torbush in the West End Methodist Episcopal church of Pittsburg said, according to the New York World:

"Judging from the enormous patronage plays like 'Ben-Hur' draw, the public is eager to see and support plays of moral worth. The tendency of the stage is toward degeneracy as the vast majority of playhouses are run today. I believe Christian men and women should endow Christian playhouses, where moral performances would do much toward destroying the influence of the immoral forces at work. The Christian theaters should be supported by the church and run even at a loss. As churchgoers are for saving the church to attend show-houses, the evil should be met by giving human nature what it craves."

## Senate Naval Room Whales.

The new room of the senate naval committee at Washington was elaborately decorated on walls and ceiling by a marine artist. There are broad expanses of sea and pictures of all sorts of fishes and ships. The artist ran pretty heavily to whales, and there is a monster or two on every wall spouting water up to the ceiling, says the New York World. "How comes it there are so many whales on the walls?" a friend asked Senator Hale, chairman of the committee, the other day. "They typify the size of the appropriations we are expected to make," the senator replied gravely.

## ONCE IS ENOUGH TO SEE

Gustave Dore's portrait of Dante is worth seeing—once. But once is enough. Some such look you notice on the faces of those who have suffered, and still suffer, much physical pain; people subject to rheumatism, gout, neuralgia, periodic headache, lumbago, or pain from some old lesion. This pain-habit puts its marks on them, as the custom of handling ropes crooks a sailor's fingers; or as too much riding of a bicycle stamps a worried expression on certain faces. No wonder people said of the Italian poet as he passed along, "There goes

## THE MAN WHO NEVER LAUGHS."

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## DIED ON TRAIN AT YPSILANTI

A LADY PASSENGER EXPIRES AS TRAIN PULLS INTO STATION

The Remains Were Taken Back to Her Home in Rome, N. Y., This Afternoon

The body of Mrs. Caroline Porter Huntington, of Rome, N. Y., was brought to the undertaking rooms of McElcheran & McAndrew Friday morning, she having died on the train as it was pulling into the station here. Mrs. Huntington and her daughter, Belle, had started on a trip to Kansas City. The mother had long been troubled with dropsy. During the latter part of the night she had a bad spell, but the attack was not thought of as so serious as to make it necessary to discontinue the journey. She gradually grew worse, however, and died just as the train reached Ypsilanti.

Mr. George Huntington, of Detroit, a relative, was communicated with and came to Ypsilanti on the 1:25 train. The daughter started back for Rome with the remains on the 4:05 train in the afternoon.

## THE SPIRIT OF WINTER.

The Spirit of Winter is with us, making its presence known in many different ways—sometimes by cheery sunshine and glistening snows, and sometimes by driving winds and blinding storms. To many people it seems to take a delight in making bad things worse, for rheumatism twists harder, twinges sharper, catarrh becomes more annoying, and the many symptoms of scrofula are developed and aggravated. There is not much poetry in this, but there is truth, and it is a wonder that more people don't get rid of these ailments. The medicine that cures them—Hood's Sarsaparilla—is easily obtained and there is abundant proof that its cures are radical and permanent.

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## VITALITY OF TRUSTS.

A Lawyer Explains How They Refuse to Be Exterminated.

ADVERSE COURT DECREEES A BOON

Henry Wollman Says the Judicial Poison Designed to Bring About the Death of Trusts Seems to Have Proved Their Fattening Food—Cites Some Sample Cases.

What can the governor of Minnesota do about the Northern Securities company? Can the governor of Minnesota or any other state or anybody else prevent the completion of the plans of the Northern Securities company in their present form or some other effecting the same results? asks Henry Wollman, a lawyer, in the New York Times, and he proceeds to answer the questions as follows:

These questions have been asked of probably every important corporation lawyer in New York city many times within the past month. It is alleged that the company was formed effectually to consummate a brilliant plan to combine competing railroads. Now, assuming that it was, are the laws now in existence adequate to prevent this? If not, will there be sufficient human ingenuity to frame new laws to meet the situation? And if new laws are enacted that meet the necessities of the case, will they really prevent the combination? These are the riddles to be solved.

A distinction is sometimes sought to be drawn between "trusts," so called, and enormous corporations combining competitors, but as far as the public is concerned this differentiation is merely a play on words. It is immaterial to the public whether the combination is doing business as a trust or under corporate form.

Whether trusts and combinations are or are not hurtful or whether laws for their suppression should or should not be enacted is not within the scope of the present discussion. The vital question is, assuming that this is a combination, will it be stopped—not whether it ought to be, but will it be?

When trusts were first "invented" the public looked upon them as horrible monsters designed to impoverish if not to devour the people. It was prophesied that every economic ill would come from them. Therefore almost every lover of his people racked his brain to evolve some means or measure to prevent or suppress them, as every good citizen would endeavor to prevent or put down a pestilence. The great danger anticipated was the raising of prices and thus forcing the consumer to pay outrageously for his necessities. Laws were enacted in every state and by the federal government to exterminate combinations tending to raise prices. If a law was found weak, a stronger and more stringent one was put in its place, but all this bore no fruit that was gatherable. Then it was said that the danger was not so much with combinations tending to elevate prices as with those tending to reduce them and thus freeze out competition.

The legislative guns and cannons were trained on that sort of combinations, but still without any result. In the face of all this legislation, the most bitter, vitriolic and drastic that the lawmakers could devise, trusts have multiplied and grown beyond the wildest dream of the "father of trusts," who ever he may be. Today there is no place in this country where they find any real difficulty in doing business.

One might from the foregoing jump to the conclusion that the courts have come under the shadow of corporate influence and have favored trusts and combinations by failing to give judicial sanction to the legislative enactments or by placing obstacles in the way of the enforcement of the legislative will, but not so. In almost every state the pronouncements of the courts against trusts have been radical, with decrees intended to be destructive. But the trusts seem to have found the judicial poison designed to accomplish their death fattening food.

In New York one of the early cases was the dissolution in 1890 by the court of appeals of the sugar trust. The court in passing that solemn death sentence said:

"In this state there can be no partnership of separate and independent corporations, whether directly or indirectly, through the medium of a trust; no substantial consolidations which avoid and disregard the statutory provisions and restrictions, but manufacturing corporations must be and remain several as they were created or one under the statute."

That decree, which was hailed with delight as the salvation of the people unwittingly pointed the way to a vast corporation accomplishing the precise thing which the decree intended to render impossible. Out of the ashes in the urn in that judicial crematory there sprang a new and mighty corporation, and the sugar trust of 1901 can look at the sugar trust of 1890 as a man looks upon a boy.

In 1892 the supreme court of Ohio in dissolving the Standard Oil trust said:

"Its object was to establish a virtual monopoly of the business of producing petroleum and of manufacturing, refining and dealing in it and all its products throughout the country and by which it might not merely control the production, but the price, at its pleasure. All such associations are contrary to the policy of our law and void."

But it is notorious that the decree did not, as a matter of fact, dissolve that trust, and, besides, the present yearly dividends of the Standard Oil company would make a very respectable percent-

age of the capital "stock" of the Standard Oil trust of 1892.

The highest court of Texas forfeited the right of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, the then local name of the Standard Oil company of the southwest to do business in Texas, and that decision was affirmed by the United States supreme court. The Texas agents of the company were arrested, and they appealed in vain to the supreme court at Washington for relief. One would think that all this would have put an end to that mighty corporation, as far as Texas was concerned, but a new Standard Oil company was organized under the laws of Texas and is doing business in that state, and it is well known that the Standard Oil interests are most powerful in the newly discovered Texas oilfields.

In Illinois a great victory (?) was won for the people in the decree abolishing the whisky trust. A new company was immediately formed to take its place, and, I believe, by the very men who brought about the proceedings which resulted in its dissolution, and the present whisky trust is a much more powerful institution than the old one was.

Quite recently corporate interests were driven into a cold perspiration by the sensational opinion of the supreme court of Illinois against the glucose trust, a corporation, because of the fear that no combination, under whatever form, could thereafter do business in that state, and yet even the glucose trust seems to be running along as well as ever, and every other trust in America is doing business in Illinois without a particle of real friction.

The supreme court of the United States "unsettled the market" for a few days by deciding in the Transmissouri Freight association case that an agreement between interstate railroads for making rates contravened the federal law known as the Sherman act, and yet such agreements are in effect today to a greater extent than ever before.

These cases are only samples. The highest courts of nearly every state in the Union have rendered opinions against trusts and combinations in language that was eloquent of the wrongs of the people, and in almost every instance the decision was adverse to the combination. The federal courts have shown them no friendliness. The supreme court at Washington has been unsparing of them. But whether the case was in the state or federal court, there has always been the same net result—nothing.

In every instance the real result attained in the end (not the nominal result, but the tangible result) has been very much like the "finding" of the Indiana justice of the peace in favor of a widow who sued a bank. After the justice had wiped away the tears inspired by the powerful appeal of the widow's lawyer, he said, "The judgment must be for the bank, but the record of the court will show that the plaintiff has the sympathy of the court." In the cases of trusts and corporations controlling combinations the courts have always shown their "sympathy for the people" by rendering decrees against the trusts and combinations, but these decrees have uniformly turned out to be impossible of genuine enforcement.

Therefore, if experience is to be our guide, it would seem that the objects sought to be accomplished by the Northern Securities company will be attained—in one form or another.

## WANTS WOMEN TO PROPOSE

Pastor of a Missouri Church Thinks Cupid Is Neglecting Business.

Cupid should move about faster than he has been doing in Webster Groves, near St. Louis, says Rev. Charles L. Kloss, pastor of the First Congregational church.

There are nearly 300 members of the congregation, and last year there were only about a dozen marriages among the members. Dr. Kloss is disposed to blame the women for the prevailing dullness in nuptial affairs, says the Chicago Record-Herald. He says they are too timid and that there is no reason why they should not do the proposing themselves if the men continue to be as slow as they have been.

"The idea seems to have always been that women are dependent upon the men," Dr. Kloss says. "There is no reason why this opinion should not be removed. Let them become men's economic equals, and then they can do the proposing themselves instead of waiting for the men to come along and ask them to become their wives. Right now women do not usually let men propose to them until they are ready, and there is no reason why they should not have and exercise the same right of proposing as men."

## Building a Railroad in Cuba.

A new railroad under construction in Cuba by American and Canadian capitalists has been graded for seventy-four miles out of Santiago, and the track is laid for thirty-five miles, says the Indianapolis News. The right of way has to be purchased, as no concessions can be obtained by corporations in Cuba at present. Five thousand men are engaged on the work. Track layers receive \$1.50 a day and graders \$1. American money. Thus far the road has penetrated a sugar raising country, with rich black "gumbo" soil. Ties are obtained in the United States and shipped by way of New Orleans and Mobile.

## President's Favorite Expressions.

Somebody criticised the president for swearing the other day. It was stated that he sometimes emphasized his remarks with three cornered words. The president ordinarily uses no profanity, writes the Washington correspondent of the New York World. His favorite expression is "By Godfrey" and next to this, "By Jove!"

## BAKING COMPANY HAS BEEN FORMED

A company has been formed of the grocers of this city, which is known as the Ypsilanti Baking Co. Those who have already taken stock are Davis & Co., Hopkins & Davis, Walter Haynes, Dunlap & George, and Scott & Davis. Their headquarters are at Davis & Co.'s and they began operations today. Heretofore they have bought their bread of the various bakers, but from now on they will make their own bread, cakes, pies, etc.

## A DEEP MYSTERY.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phoebe Cherley, of Peterson, Ia., "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c at C. W. Rogers & Co.'s and Morford & Smith's drug stores.

## ASKS FUNDS FOR THE MEMORIAL

Mayor Thompson has received from the McKinley Memorial association a request to interest himself in securing a substantial contribution from Ypsilanti, and he informed a reporter Saturday afternoon that he will bring the matter to the attention of different interests in the city.

"This nation," said he, "has mourned as no other nation ever mourned for their beloved ruler, and it is befitting that we all should contribute a small amount to erect a suitable memorial to his memory. Places where subscriptions will be received will be named in the papers within a few days, and I will see the ministers of the different churches and ask them to arrange in accordance with the date that will be selected in other places, to announce that the collections for some one Sunday are to go for the McKinley fund. Supt. George has promised to bring the matter to the attention of the school children, and I will try to keep it in the mind of the general public by placing McKinley cards about the city and by making use of such space in the local papers as you feel you can spare."

The memorial fund circular is in part as follows:

The monument is to be in the highest sense the sincere expression of all the people of this country of their love for President McKinley and of their admiration for the qualities expressed in his life and deeds.

It is the purpose to have the offerings of the people voluntary with a full opportunity to all to contribute.

A memento in the form of a souvenir certificate, worthy of preservation as evidence of the holder's participation in the work, will be distributed to all subscribers.

The co-operation of all religious, civic and industrial organizations is most earnestly requested.

The amount desired by the national committee is \$500,000, \$100,000 of which is to be used as an endowment fund for the care of the memorial.

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### YPSILANTI GIFTS

Were Put to Good Use by Miss Inaz Tupper at Her School in Atlanta, Georgia

The following letter has been received from Miss Inaz Tupper, a graduate of the Normal, who left this city last September for Atlanta, Ga., to engage in teaching the blacks of the south. Miss Tupper has been organizing a Sunday school among the colored children and a few weeks ago sent a request to her friends in this city for Bibles, second-hand clothing, toys, etc., for a Christmas tree which she was planning. The box was sent and she wishes to thank the friends who so kindly contributed. Miss Tupper has many serious obstacles to overcome with the ignorant class of colored people with whom she is dealing and much credit is due to her worthy efforts.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 11, 1902.

Dear Home Folks:—I am going to take a little time this evening to send my respects to the friends of the church and otherwise, who so kindly donated to the very generously filled box which we received some few days before Christmas.

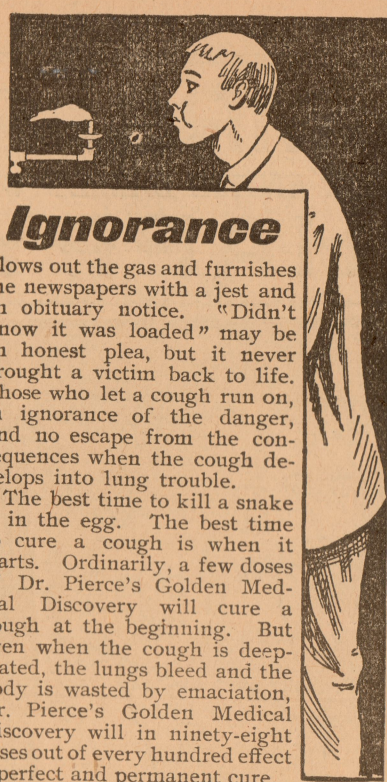
I cannot possibly tell them of all the pleasure it afforded the children of our Sunday school, but I can gladly say that it gave them a most enjoyable evening, Dec. 24th.

Mr. Easley, the superintendent, secured a very nice pine tree and from "the box" we selected the toys and other things suitable for the children and after decorating the tree with bags of candy and the presents we felt we had a Christmas tree that would gladden the hearts of our children, and so it did. To receive more than one present from the tree was quite unheard of, and when the boys and girls heard their names called out by a very jolly Santa Claus several times they were almost wild with eagerness.

The Bibles (all those in good condition) were given to the boys and girls who had been most prompt and regular in attendance. The testaments and other Bibles are to be used in the Sunday school room.

All of the clothing is still in the hands of the superintendent, as, after consulting Dr. Wilson, the pastor, decided to sell all of the better waists, jackets, hats, skirts and dresses for a nominal sum, because of the fact that the general feeling among the colored people is against being called "charity subjects." If they can pay 10c for a hat they feel quite independent, while they would resent it if given outright. Whatever is realized from the sale of this clothing will be put with the \$5.55 received from our friends in the north, and will be used to purchase a book-case for our library. We have quite a number of very good books and we are anxious to have them in the Sunday school room that they may be available for the use of the children.

Perhaps those most interested in the work will rejoice with me, when I say that, owing to the rumor which is afloat, viz., "that the Yankee teachers got a box from the north with heaps and heaps of presents in it," our numbers are increasing every Sunday. Last Sunday we had five new pupils and the Sunday before three or four new ones.



**Ignorance**  
Blows out the gas and furnishes the newspapers with a jest and an obituary notice. "Didn't know it was loaded" may be an honest plea, but it never brought a victim back to life. Those who let a cough run on, in ignorance of the danger, find no escape from the consequences when the cough develops into lung trouble.

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We are hoping, and praying too, that we may succeed in getting many more and we will gladly share the praise with those who, by their gifts, enabled us to find our way into many hearts by remembering them at Christmas time, with something useful, which, to the colored child, is a sure and unfailing sign that "she likes me."

We hope that our friends in Ypsilanti will let their prayers contain a word for us and our little band of "colored children, who are struggling along quite bravely amid many discouragements."

This doesn't contain much personal news, mother and father, but I will write of myself and general welfare later. I think this letter will answer most questions you may be asked, and to all please extend my sincerest thanks for donations received.

Your loving daughter,  
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## RACE OF GIANTS TO COME.

Professor Henry L. Bruner on the Future Man.

"Strange men, far different from those now living, will walk the earth in centuries to come. They will be a race of brainy, four toed giants," says Henry L. Bruner, head of the biology department of Butler university, near Indianapolis.

"The chest and the upper and lower limbs of the coming man will be larger," prophesies Professor Bruner, according to the Philadelphia Press. "and the future man will be much taller than his brother of today. The future man will live longer. Within a few generations old age will not fall upon men until the century mark is reached. I believe that the ultra blond and the ultra brunette type will constantly decline. Uniformity of the color of the eyes and the hair, however, will never be reached. The man of the future will have superior teeth and hair. Thought saving machinery will relieve the future man of much of his present routine of brain work. The sex of the future man will be predeterminable. For a time there will be a preponderance of one sex and then of another."

### To Photograph a Building Daily.

It is reported, according to the Boston Budget, that a camera has been placed so as to take each day one picture of the new building of the department of physics of the Cornell university now being constructed, with the object of producing hereafter a moving picture of the building from its beginning to its completion.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

### CURTAIN CALLS.

Mr. Justin Adams has dramatized Charles F. Pidgin's novel, "Quincy Adams Sawyer."

When E. S. Willard comes back to America next season, he will have several new plays to offer.

Mabel Fenton Ross, wife of Charles Ross, the comedian, has returned to New York from Europe.

Rudyard Kipling's novel, "The Story of the Gadsbys," is in process of dramatization by Cosmo Hamilton.

Edward McWade's new romantic play, "The Land of Mystery," will probably have its production next fall.

Robert Taber, who has been in London for several years, has purchased the English rights of "D'Arcy of the Guards."

Mrs. James Brown Potter will join the company supporting Beerholm Tree when that actor presents Stephen Phillips' play, "Ulysses."

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The bitter mingles with the sweet  
In brown October's cup.  
No more we gaze in summer's heat,  
But coal is going up.  
—Philadelphia Press.

**A Family Affair.**  
"What a pity you are going to marry a man of no family, dear!"  
"Well, it's better than marrying a man with one anyhow."

**Seasonable.**  
The frost is on the punkin and the fodder's in the shock,  
And mornings now are very sharp at five or six o'clock.  
—Detroit Free Press.

**Just a Beginner.**  
She—Has she many friends in society?  
He—Oh, yes; she hasn't been in long, you know.—Smart Set.

**The Present Test of Wealth.**  
The man who in the country dwells  
Full oft adopts a haughty tone.  
He scorns the man who buys or sells;  
He has potatoes of his own.  
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**Birthday Privilege.**  
Children in Chorus—Many happy returns of the day, grandpa, and mamma says if you give us each fifty cents we won't lose it!

What would you think of your grocery man if he sold sand for sugar? What do you think of a druggist who offers you a substitute for the Madison's Co.'s Rocky Mountain Tea? Morford & Smith.

## MUSICAL EVENING AT CONSERVATORY

The "musical evening" given Friday night in Normal hall by Conservatory pupils, assisted by Mrs. Florence Spitzley and Mr. Herbert Blodgett of Detroit, was the success that may always be predicted of an entertainment directed by Prof. and Mrs. Pease.

The participants, with the exception of Mrs. Spitzley were well known to the audience and deservedly favorites, while Mrs. Spitzley, who is one of Detroit's most popular sopranos, won her way to the hearts of her listeners with her first note.

The principal number on the program was Liza Lehman's "Daisy Chain," given by Mrs. Spitzley, soprano; Miss Ellen Wortley, contralto; Mr. Herbert Blodgett, tenor, and Mr. Harold Spencer, basso, and it was rendered with taste and an appreciation of its quaint and delicate charm. The quartet was noticeable for the perfect blending of the voices and the sweetness of tone, and they entered into the spirit of the pretty childhood songs with marked success. In addition to the four quartet numbers each member had two solos, which were given with no less skill and feeling. "The Daisy Chain" has a refreshing quality and a delicate humor which make its charm perennial, and when properly interpreted by a quartet, it is a charming number, as was the case last evening.

The miscellaneous portion of the program was well chosen and excellently rendered, and formed a fitting introduction to "The Daisy Chain." Mr. Fred Ellis' rich, clear baritone is too well known to need particular mention, save to say that he has not often been heard to sing with more power and feeling, and Miss Clara Beardsley in Chaminade's "Summer," Miss Mildred Fletcher in Needham's "Haymaking," and Miss Don Lawrence in "O Dry Those Tears," by Riego, well sustained their name as being among the most popular of the Conservatory students. Mr. Arthur Bostick played a Moszkowski composition with skill; the Misses May George and Ruby Platt rendered the William Tell overture with organ part by Prof. Pease, and the Conservatory quartet sang Goldberg's "Good Night" and for an encore "Kentucky Babe."

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## NEW AND BETTER RULES ADOPTED

The directors of the Intercollegiate Athletic association have proposed the adoption of several important amendments to the constitution, which will affect the Normal athletes who propose contesting in the field day events.

One of the amendments provides that all football officials shall be in no way connected with the association. This is designed to prevent squabbling in games over alleged unfair decisions by hiring unprejudiced officials.

Another provides that no member of the baseball, football, or track team of any college in the association shall become a member of the team of another college within one year after severing his connection with the first institution. This is an important move to block jockeying. Leading athletes in various institutions have been subjected to much coaxing from rival colleges.

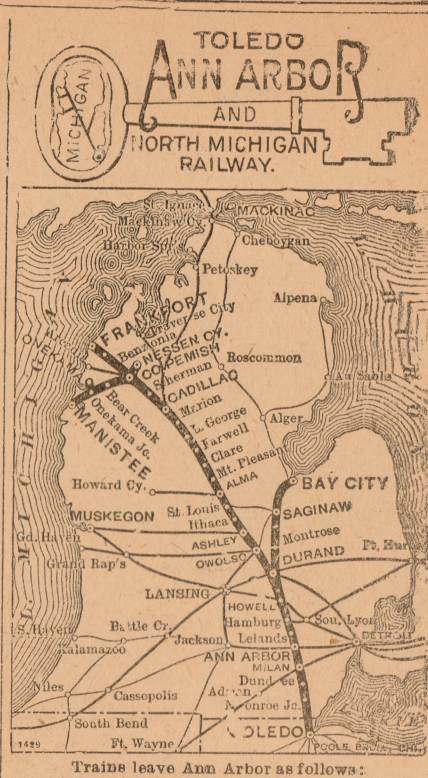
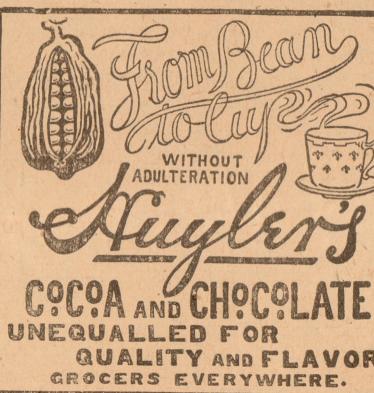
It is probable that the two-mile run will be substituted at the next field day for the one-mile walk.

It was voted to substitute the discus throw for the high kick, and baseball will be played on the percentage plan, the three highest playing for the championship on field day. Each team must play six preliminary games, two each with three colleges. The schedule was arranged as follows:

Olivet will play M. A. C., Hillsdale and Kalamazoo; M. A. C. will play Ypsilanti, Albion and Olivet; Ypsilanti will play Kalamazoo, M. A. C. and Hillsdale; Hillsdale will play Ypsilanti, Olivet and Albion; Albion plays M. A. C., Kalamazoo and Hillsdale, and Kalamazoo plays Albion, Olivet and Ypsilanti.

### KID-NE-IDS HAVE MERIT.

For years I have had shooting pains through my back and sides. My nerves were affected. Had spells of dizziness, and could not sleep. Doctors said there was no help for me. I finally was induced by a friend to try Kid-Ne-Ids, and they at once gave me relief. I continued to use them for three months and am now well and cured. Thanks to the discovery of Kid-Ne-Ids. Mrs. John Hicks, Williamsport, Pa. Price 50c. Tablets. For sale by MORFORD & SMITH, Druggists.



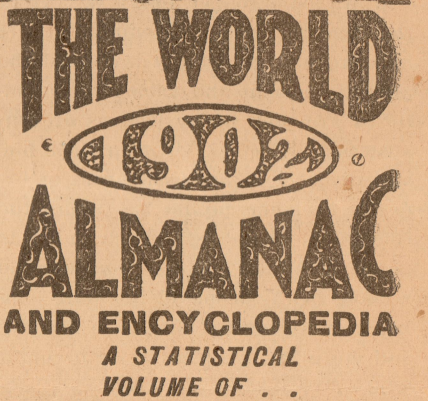
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2:45 pm	10:10 am	Bridgewater	4:10 pm	10:50 am	
3:05 pm	10:30 am	Manchester	3:55 pm	10:17 am	
3:20 pm	10:45 am	Brooklyn	3:25 pm	9:00 am	
3:40 pm	10:55 am	Woodstock	3:10 pm	8:15 am	
4:00 pm	11:05 am	Jerome	2:55 pm	8:15 am	
5:20 pm	11:17 am	No. Adams	2:40 pm	8:02 am	
5:30 pm	11:18 am	Hillsdale	2:25 pm	7:40 am	
5:40 pm	11:20 am	Chicago	2:10 pm	7:30 am	
5:50 pm	11:25 am	Toledo	1:55 pm	6:55 pm	
6:10 pm	11:40 am	Cleveland	1:40 pm	6:30 pm	
6:30 pm	11:50 am	St. Paul	1:25 pm	7:55 am	

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The beet sugar men are following the time honored tactics of all those who seek to make profits out of bounties or through the use of the taxing power for private gain. They have gone to Washington in force, they have charged Senator McMillan with misrepresenting the state and being recreant to his constituency and threatened him with retirement to private life, they are promising defeat to the republican party in Michigan, if heed is not given to their demands. They are said to have changed Senator McMillan from his original purpose and stampeded Senator Burrows and the members of the house. It is strange that such things go, but they do with the politicians. There are a few beet sugar people in Michigan, 'tis true, who want the duty left on Cuban sugar just as it stands now, but the great mass of the people of the state are making no kick on what the president has asked congress to do with the tariff on Cuban sugar. The great majority of the people believe the nation should keep its pledges with the Cuban people. The Cubans accepted the Platt amendment with the pledge of a quid pro quo and the nation is in honor bound to carry out that pledge, the beet sugar men to the contrary notwithstanding. It is altogether safe to say that there are few people in Michigan outside the beet sugar growers themselves who think any concession that will be given Cuba will make any difference with the Michigan industry. These men were just as loud in their prophesy that the beet sugar interest would die if the state did not pay a bounty but the industry has grown and waxed stronger every day from the time the Michigan supreme court knocked out the bounty law until the present moment and various new factories are now under process of construction. There is little in their hue and cry except pure selfishness and a desire to make profits by taxing the consumers therefore. Their howl is noisy but there is no considerable number of the people of the state joining in it. Congress should do its duty and keep its pledges in spite of it all.

Under the state law it is not necessary to prove that liquor has been sold in a saloon that is open on Sunday in order to establish a violation of the statute. The very fact that a saloon is open and people permitted to come in and out is evidence of violation of the law. The Ann Arbor authorities did their duty, therefore, in arresting Nic. Schneider, in whose place a man met death recently on Sunday by falling down stairs. The party of which this man was one were not in the saloon proper but in a room adjoining or near to the saloon proper where the proprietor says he is wont to serve drinks to families. The prosecution will contend that this room is a part of the saloon. The witnesses at the inquest swore that nothing was served that Sunday night but sweet cider. The view of the prosecution seems to be that the whole truth was not stated or brought out at the inquest. Mr. Schneider has been bound over to the circuit court for trial when the truth will probably be gotten at. The law relative to keeping saloons closed on Sunday should be enforced.

The people of Ann Arbor will hope that Mayor Copeland may succeed in getting the Hawks-Angus people to declare themselves on the question of grade separation. It looks just now that they are likely to have this hope for their pains, however. The railway people are putting in a "Y" so that they can turn their cars around and thus indefinitely postpone the question of grade separation, if they so desire. Mr. Boland's charter commits him to grade separation, if the other roads concerned do their parts. But the case of the city seems to be one that is wholly bound up in the pleasure of the railroads. They may do about as they please.

Looks as though ex-Speaker Adams may escape being booked upon the charges of bribery which have been laid at his door. The witnesses who claim to know about his unsavory transactions seem to be ineligible or under conviction on similar charges. But in the minds of the people a decision has been reached. It is pretty safe to conclude that his political career is ended.

## SUPRISE PARTY AT STONY CREEK

Stony Creek, Mich., Jan. 20.—Will Dell spent Sunday with his brother at Chelsea.

Mrs. Abi Fish, who has been spending a few weeks with friends here, returned home Saturday.

A number from this place attended the farmers' institute at Mooreville on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Widdecome and Miss Olcott returned Saturday to Detroit.

A few friends of Adelbert Waine and wife gave them a little surprise on Friday. A good dinner, some music, and games made the hours fly very fast. Mr. and Mrs. Waine will soon move to their own home about two miles west of Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Bovee of Ypsilanti returned home Friday afternoon on a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Sarah Lowden.

## SUPERIOR IN LINE FOR CANNING FACTORY

Superior, Jan. 20.—Twenty-eight years ago last Friday, Mr. Henry Koch and Miss Amelia Luick stood before the marriage altar and there solemnly promised to take each other for better or for worse and during all these intervening years have never regretted their choice, and the thought of upsetting the marriage arrangement has never been entertained for a moment. On Friday evening last a large company of neighbors and friends met at their home to celebrate the happy event of nearly three decades ago. It is hardly necessary to say that the evening was happily spent. One of the pleasantest features of the occasion was the presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Koch by the company of an elegant parlor lamp which was received by the happy pair with deep manifestations of gratitude.

George Wilbur has his eyes peeled for any enterprise that promises substantial returns and being convinced that the canning factory about to start up in the city of Ypsilanti will prove a profitable investment for the moss-back fraternity he proposes to have a finger in the pie. He has a farm near the Greek city well adapted for raising Hubbard squash, watermelons, pumpkins, rutabagas, etc., and will contribute his full share of the above line of vegetables to the new establishment fresh from the soil.

(From another Correspondent.)

Sheldon Gale has bought the 130-acre farm of Charles Walker.

A. Kimmel is home from Kendallville, Ind., and reports a very pleasant visit.

Mrs. Mabel Hutchinson is better.

Mrs. A. J. Gale is visiting her sister, Mrs. Amanda Vedder, at Hoytsville, Eaton county.

The people living on the Ann Arbor road are commencing to think that the electric road of Boland's is not going through, as they have now been waiting almost two years with no signs of any road yet.

Superior Town, Jan. 20.—I. B. LeFurge had a very serious accident while shredding corn at John Goudry's, near Deontoville, by getting his hand caught. It was very badly mangled and Doctors Arnold and Hull amputated it just above the wrist.

The Superior Cornet Band met Saturday evening at the home of James Gates and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, Andrew Gardner; vice president, E. C. Gale; secretary, George Quackenbush;

Superior, Mich., Jan. 21.—Henry Burrell's timber lot has the appearance of having been struck by a cyclone, the trees lying in every direction, forming a complete network, but the ax and saw in the hands of woodmen did the work. Mr. Johnson, who purchased the timber, informs us that Mr. Burrell will realize about \$400 from his timber sale.

Insley LeFurge, who was injured while feeding a corn shredder, is a prominent farmer of Superior, not of Ypsilanti township as has been stated. His injury is by some attributed to carelessness, which may possibly be true, but when we consider that this machine is constructed on the man-killer plan, it is hardly to be expected that a person, however cautious, can always stand guard against its ravenous appetite. As Herbert Crippen has well said, it is the most dangerous and treacherous piece of mechanism ever invented in the line of farm machinery. Guess he's right. Expressions of sympathy for Mr. LeFurge are heard on every side.

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The D. Y. A. A. & J. was forced to hour service Tuesday in place of half hour on account of inability to get needed repair material. In the afternoon half hour service was resumed again. The road has been hampered in various ways by inability to get its necessary materials for repairs as well as for its new transferring stations. The concerns manufacturing such supplies are way behind with their orders, and hence the delay.

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## THE COMPANY IS ORGANIZED

For the Manufacture of Seed Separators

CAPITAL \$15,000

Charles L. Stevens is President and Other Officers Were Elected

The Benson Seed Separator company organized Thursday. A meeting of the stockholders was held at the Occidental hotel and the following board of directors was elected: Chas. L. Stevens, J. E. McGregor, Frank Newton, C. H. Cady, Fred W. Green. The board was organized by the election of the following officers: President, C. L. Stevens; treasurer, Frank Newton; secretary, Fred W. Green.

The capital stock of the company was fixed at \$20,000 and if this amount \$15,000 is paid in. The organization decided to take the name of the Benson Seed Separator company.

## PROF. MCFARLANE

Has Been Selected to Fill an Important Position.

Last week's Brockport (N. Y.) Republic contained a fine supplement giving an account of the dedication exercises of the new practice school building of the Brockport State Normal school, with a cut of the building and of Principal Charles T. McFarlane, formerly of this city. The supplement contains also the following comment about Principal McFarlane, from which it may be gathered that he is manifesting the same energy and ability to win friends and make a record for himself that he did while here:

"At a meeting of the Local Board, June 7, Prof. Charles T. McFarlane of Michigan Normal College was elected to take the place of Dr. Smith. The election was the result of three months' investigation by the Board, whose appointments in the past have been so largely successful. The qualifications of the candidate, the personnel and methods of the Board augur that no mistake has been made.

"Prof. McFarlane was born in Chenango county, N. Y. His early educational work was done in this state. He attended the Syracuse University and the College of the City of New York. His professional training was received at the Albany State Normal College. Since graduation he has been engaged in teaching except a year and a half spent at Harvard and Vienna. While abroad he studied under the great geographer Penck. Prof. McFarlane's work in Michigan covered a period of nine years, during which time he built a strong department of geography and drawing for the Normal School, proving an efficient worker in the State institutes, made original contributions to the literature of his subject, and found time for professional study. The department at Ypsilanti under his charge grew from one of one teacher, three classes and one hundred students to one of five teachers, twenty-one classes and six hundred pupils. He is assistant editor of the Bulletin of the American Geographical Bureau, has contributed to the National Series of Geographies, and has written for various educational journals. He is a member of the American Geographical Society, and the Geographisches Verein der Universität Wien and of various educational associations.

"In the four months he has been principal he has literally won the hearts of all by his scholarship, his high and noble character and the heartiness with which he meets the students and enters into their several and collective interests. What more can be said?"

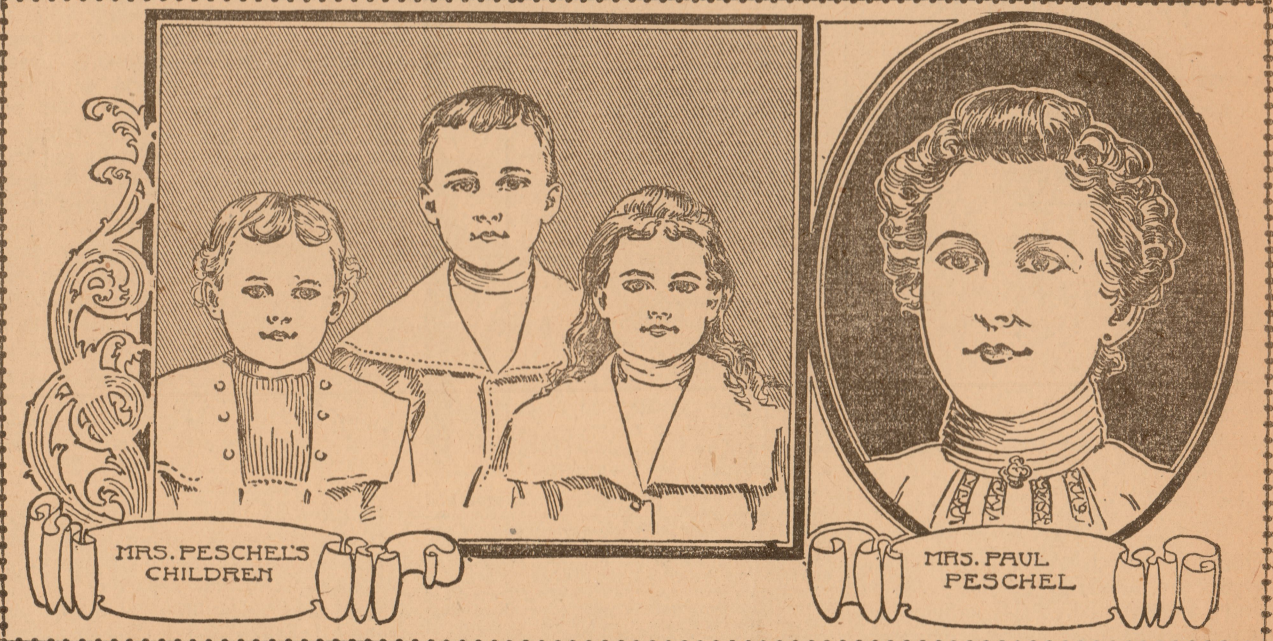
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The publishers of "The American Boy," Detroit, Mich., have secured from Will Levington Comfort, who was the youngest newspaper correspondent in the Philippines at the time of the death of General Lawton, an exciting story, based upon fact, relating the experiences of the youngest correspondent in General Lawton's army. The hero of the story was the first of the newspaper correspondents to cable to America the news of the death of General Lawton at the hands of the insurgents. By an almost superhuman effort the boy correspondent, who was with the army at the time of the shooting, made his way through the enemy's country to the cable office and flashed the news to America three hours before any of the other correspondents got possession of the cable. It was a notable achievement on the part of a boy. The story begins in the February number of "The American Boy."

Lacking suitable shed room, I have nineteen good two-year-old feeding steers to sell. I am located 1 mile west of Sheldons, 1/2 mile north of electric line.

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# PLUCKY MRS. PESCHEL PROTECTS HER ENTIRE EAMILY WITH PERUNA HAS A HAPPY HOME.



This Beautiful Mother Says:

"I Cannot Help But Praise Peruna.

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"As Soon as I Find the Children Have the Least Cold, I Give Them Peruna.

"A Few Doses Helps Them."

One of the greatest foes with which every family has to contend is our changeable climate. To protect the family from colds and coughs is always a serious problem, and often impossible.

Sooner or later it is the inevitable fate of every one to catch cold. Care in avoiding exposure and the use of proper clothing will protect from the frequency and perhaps the severity of colds, but with the greatest of precautions they will come. This is a settled fact of human experience.

Especially is this true during the stormy and unsettled weather of early winter. Everybody must expect to be caught somewhere or somehow.

Perhaps it will be wet feet, or cold draught, or damp clothes, or may be too close confinement in hot rooms and then going out into the cold carelessly, or it

may be one of a thousand other little mishaps, but no one is shroud enough to always avoid the inevitable catching cold.

Sometimes colds come like an epidemic; everybody seems to have one at once. The very air about us is poison to the head, throat and lungs.

There is no fact of medical science better known than that Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. Thousands of families in all parts of the United States are protected each winter by Peruna. Once in the family Peruna always stays. No home can spare Peruna after the first trial of it. A splendid example of this fact is found in the beautiful home of Mrs. Paul Peschel, of 14 Quitman street, Newark, N. J. Read her letter.

NEWARK, N. J., June 17, 1900.

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Peruna is our family medicine and always will be. I do my own housework and sewing, and get along lovely, now that I am so strong and well, thanks to Peruna and your good advice.

"I cannot help but praise Peruna. I am never without it, and as soon as I find the children have the least cold I give them Peruna. A few doses helps them, and I hope that every one who reads my testimony will try Peruna as it is a friend indeed." Thankfully yours, MRS. PAUL PESCHEL, 14 Quitman St., Newark, N. J.

## A Safe Family Doctor.

Peruna has been used in many other homes with the same results. The following are samples: Mrs. M. E. Seymour, Dye, Ga., writes:

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## Peruna Added 40 Pounds.

Mrs. Maria Goertz, Cleo, Oklahoma, writes:

"My husband, children and myself have used your medicines, and we always keep them in the house in case of necessity."—Mrs. Maria Goertz.

Dr. Hartman's latest book on catarrh will be sent free upon request to any address. This book contains ninety-five pages of interesting reading matter, and will be found invaluable to mothers in aiding them to guard against and cure the many little catarrhal ailments of children that come with the severe weather of winter.

## INVESTIGATING THE GEOLOGICAL CONDITION

Prof. W. H. Sherzer is Watching the Salt Well at Ecorse

The Debris is Carefully Examined and Reports will be Made to the State and National Surveys.

Prof. W. H. Sherzer of the department of natural science at the Normal, is engaged in investigating the geological occurrences laid bare by the sinking of the shaft at the Michigan Rock Salt Co.'s plant at Ecorse, his work being in the interests of the state geological survey.

Prof. Sherzer made preliminary observations last week, and will continue his investigation of the uncovered drift throughout the shaft sinking. The debris is carefully examined, and from the result of this and other studies that will be carried on for a year or more, reports will be made to the state and national geological surveys.

Prof. Sherzer is being accompanied in his work by Prof. Frank Leverett of the United States geological survey, who is interested in the surface earths and clays already uncovered in the opening of the mine, as he is engaged upon a study of the glacial deposits and water supplies of lower Michigan. The theory is that there was more than one glacial invasion of the lower peninsula, and Prof. Leverett is seeking evidence in conformation or disproof of this idea.

The U. S. Civil Service Commission will hold examinations at several places in each state during March and April, to secure young men and women for the government service. Nine thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine persons secured positions last year through these examinations. Probably 10,000 appointments will be made this year. All appointments are for life and for most positions only a common school education is required. Salaries at appointment vary from \$600 to \$1200 a year with liberal promotions afterward. Politics is not considered. This affords a good opportunity for people between 16 and 45 years of age. Those desiring places of this kind can get full information about them, free, by writing to the Columbian Correspondence College, Washington, D. C., and asking for its Civil Service catalogue, number three.

## THE TIGERS TO COME HERE

Detroit Ball Team will Train in Ypsilanti

FOR ABOUT THREE WEEKS

The Players Would Rather Train Here Than to go South

It is probable that the Detroit baseball team will train at Ypsilanti again the coming season. Manager Dwyer was in the city yesterday looking over the situation. Dwyer says:

"All the players like Ypsilanti as a training ground and would rather go there than south. The team will be called together about April 1, and will put in three weeks at Ypsilanti.

"I am in favor of training in the north for several reasons. One is that when a team is taken south to train the men get used to warm weather, with the result that after the season opens and the gang gets up against a few chilly days they are sore and stiff, and the time spent in the south is wasted. By training in the north this is done away with, as the men are used to working in the same kind of weather they are called on to play in after the season is opened."

If it is finally determined to train here, the headquarters of the team will be at the Occidental.

## Organization of Board.

Recently several people have asked the question how the Highland Cemetery association is organized and who constitutes its members and whether it is a stock company? In answer to these questions it may be said that the association is not a stock company but it is composed of all persons owning lots in the cemetery. The association is not a money making concern and no one is allowed to purchase lots for speculative purposes. Lots can be bought only for burial purposes and all sales are so guarded that they cannot be used for any money-making purpose. Each owner of a lot is entitled to a vote in the meetings of the association. Thus all those so interested have a voice in the election of officers and the management of the affairs of the association.

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## THE COST OF MACADAM ROADS

Ald. Frank Worden has received from a nephew in Kennebunk, Me., a letter in regard to the price of the extensive macadam roads laid in the east, which is of interest to Ypsilanti in view of the recent purchase by the aldermen of a stone crusher.

In part the letter is:

"As to prices they would vary considerably between here and Ypsilanti, but I will give you the ruling prices in Massachusetts and around Boston. The Massachusetts highway committee have all their macadam put on by the ton, average about \$2 per ton, which includes everything (furnishing stone, crushing, delivering stone on road, rolling and watering), leaving the macadam in a complete state, in other words. In many of the cities the price of macadam complete is estimated by the square yard. At Revere our price averaged about 65 cents per square yard for macadam eight inches deep; this price of 65 cents just about equalling stone at \$2 per ton in the complete state. The prices between macadam 6-8-10 inches deep vary but little usually. I should say that a cord of broken stone would weigh about six tons, but this depends upon the kind of stone. We usually figure that a cubic foot of broken stone will weigh about 15 pounds. Taking the averages from all over the state as given in the Massachusetts Highway Association Journal, and adding for watering, incidentals, etc., the total would be about \$1.75 per ton."

## How Are Your Kidneys?

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## Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Cure kidney and liver troubles, relieve the back, and build up the whole system.



## BOR & JACKSON RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

In Effect April 16th, 1901.  
The first cars will leave Ypsilanti going east and west at 6:15 a. m. The first car leaves Ann Arbor going east at 6:45 a. m. Cars will run every half hour until 8:30 p. m., after that every hour; the last car leaving Ann Arbor going east at 11:15 p. m., and the last car west leaving Detroit at 1:15 p. m. In addition to this a local car will leave Ann Arbor for Ypsilanti at 12:15 a. m. and another at 1:15 a. m.

Time Table—In Effect Jan. 2, 1901.  
Leave Ypsilanti. Leave Saline.  
6:45 a. m. 7:30 a. m.  
8:45 9:45  
10:45 11:45  
12:45 p. m. 1:45 p. m.  
2:45 3:45  
4:45 5:45  
6:45 7:30  
8:45 9:45  
10:45 11:45

A special car will be run from Ypsilanti at 12:45 a. m. on the arrival of the Opera car from Detroit, for special parties of ten or more, on short notice and without extra charge.

Detroit, Mich. Jan. 19, 1902.  
On and after this date cars will leave Jackson going east at 6:00 a. m. and every two hours thereafter until 10:00 p. m.  
Grass Lake 6:35 a. m. and every two hours thereafter until 10:35 p. m.  
Leave Chelsea 7:10 a. m. and every two hours thereafter until 11:10 p. m.  
Cars will leave Ann Arbor going west at 8:00 a. m. and every two hours thereafter until 12:00 midnight.  
Leave Chelsea 8:45 a. m. and every two hours thereafter until 12:35 midnight.  
Leave Grass Lake 9:20 a. m. and every two hours thereafter until 1:10 a. m.  
Cars will meet at No. 3 siding.  
The company does not guarantee this schedule but reserves the right to change the time of any or all cars without notice to the public.  
Cars run on Detroit City time.

## LOCAL BREVITIES

Mrs. Fred Yedely is on the sick list.  
Dr. Allen was in Detroit yesterday.  
Gen. Fred Green spent Sunday in Cadillac.  
Mrs. Bert Lambert, of Detroit, is in the city.  
Mrs. Harkness, of St. Clair, was in the city Monday.  
Mrs. Couch, who has been ill the past week, is better.  
Don Woodward has resigned his position with Davis & Co.  
Mrs. F. A. Barbour is in Ann Arbor for medical treatment.  
Mrs. Rohn and Mrs. Meyer spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.  
Mr. Ernest Warner of Plymouth is visiting Mrs. Austin White.  
Miss Clara Rohn spent Sunday with Martha Fable in Ann Arbor.  
Walter Pierce, of this city, entered the Cleary college Monday.  
W. R. McGregor, of Battle Creek, is in the city for a short time.  
Harry Nolan has accepted a position as stenographer in Bay City.  
John Lamb is spending a few days with his brother at Belding.  
Mrs. Sam Arnold is confined to the house with a sprained ankle.  
Henry Platt is spending a few days in the city with his family.  
Mrs. Clarence Coryell is confined to the house with a sprained ankle.  
Miss Fannie Stewart, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Stella Shaw.  
Miss Olive Lemley, of Lansing, is spending a few days in the city.  
Willie Dusbiber, of Park street, is dangerously ill with diphtheria.  
The Monday Whist club met with Mrs. J. E. McGregor this week.  
Miss Jennie Hayward has taken rooms at 601 W. Congress street.  
Mrs. Caroline Phillips has returned from a two weeks' stay in Detroit.  
Joseph McKay, of Romeo, was the guest of Ypsilanti friends Sunday.  
George Zwergel returned last night from a few weeks' stay at Chicago.  
Dr. Allen is in Detroit, assisting his son with special religious services.  
Fred Coe left Saturday for Omaha, where he will be gone a short time.  
The Bazarette will close hereafter at 7:30 evenings, except Saturdays.  
C. E. Samson, Jr., has opened an up-to-date cigar store at 19 Huron street.  
Miss Anna Kaufman, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Widrig.  
Mrs. Hibbins, of Whitaker, is spending the week with Mrs. A. H. Simpson.  
Mr. Howard, of Lansing, is in the city, called here by the illness of his wife.  
There will be a special meeting of the O. E. S. Monday evening. Initiation.  
The Y. W. C. A. will hold a board meeting at their rooms Friday afternoon.  
Mrs. Herrick is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Lamkin of Saline.  
Mrs. Molbray and children, of Saginaw, are the guests of Mrs. John Robtoy.  
"When We Were Twenty-One" will be played at the opera house this evening.  
W. A. Phillips, of Detroit, spent yesterday with his mother, Mrs. Caroline Phillips.

William Freeman of Fremont, O., is spending a few days with his parents in the city.

A pair of rubbers were left at the opera house Saturday afternoon after the matinee.

Mrs. John Robtoy is entertaining her mother, Mrs. A. C. Clark, of Saginaw, for a few days.

Chas. Coryell, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, of Normal street.

zMr. and Mrs. Wharton entertained the Presbyterian choir last evening at 6 o'clock dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Amorman of Toledo, O., have been spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. John Watters, of Belleville, was the guest of her sister, Miss May Crane, yesterday.

Miss Flora Banford, of Ann Arbor, will return to the Cleary college and resume her work.

Miss Myrtle Rowan, of Detroit, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown last week.

The splendid St. Bernard dog owned by the Gilbert family on the east side has been poisoned.

Wm. Shaefer, of Toledo, is spending a few days with his brother, Fred Shaefer, of this city.

Miss Lottie Densmore is unable to attend her duties in the public schools on account of illness.

Miss Mathilda Gross, a Normal senior, is supplying for Miss Densmore at the Woodruff school.

Messrs. Philip Armstrong and Roy Cutcheon, of Detroit, spent Sunday in the city with relatives.

The Halcyon Dancing club will give their next party in Light Guard hall Friday evening, Feb. 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Scovill leave this morning for San Francisco, Cal., to spend some months.

The four years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson (colored) was buried Monday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Newkirk, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Miss Alice McGregor the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Lois Leetch and Miss Ellen Wortley left Wednesday for a two months' stay in Dalton, Ga.

Miss Fannie Shaffer, who has been ill at Grace hospital, Detroit, the past few weeks, is much better.

John Angle, state organizer for the International Congress, was in Detroit Saturday on business.

Miss Margaret Wise, of the Normal Training school, assisted at an institute at Charlotte last week.

Daniel Burdon, of this city, and Miss Cora Pressler, of Dentons, were married Dec. 23 at Ann Arbor.

The Merry Times pedro club will meet with Mrs. Bert Sevey, of S. Huron street, Friday evening.

Mrs. Frink, of 121 Normal street, is the guest of Mrs. Chaffee, of Edmund Place, Detroit, for the week.

Horner Brothers will open a shoe and paper Co. was held last week and Horner will be in charge of it.

Frank Cody, of the Detroit public schools, visited the various educational institutions of the city Tuesday.

Special prayer meetings will be held this week Thursday and Friday evenings at the First Baptist church.

Miss Bernice Fisher, of the fourth grade of the public schools, returned to her teaching duties Monday.

Mrs. Fred Poole, of St. Charles, Ill., is spending a short time with her sister, Mrs. Robtoy, of Ellis street.

Messrs. Kingon and Simpson, of Detroit, were the guests of the Misses Simpson the fore part of the week.

F. E. Yates, of the Cleary college, has accepted a position as stenographer with Swift Bros., of Detroit.

Atwood R. McAndrew has been granted a certificate by the state board of health as a licensed embalmer.

Miss May Carriott, of the C. B. C., is filling a position temporarily as stenographer for O. E. Thompson.

The Seed and Grain Separator Co. propose to erect a plant in the city and begin manufacturing in the spring.

Miss Olive Collins is in Port Huron, called there by the illness of her brother, Howard, who has pneumonia.

Queen City hive, No. 64, L. O. T. M., will give a progressive pedro party at their hall Friday evening, Jan. 24.

Miss Blanche Robertson of the Conservatory sang a solo at the Normal chapel exercises yesterday morning.

Miss Mabel Henderson, of Detroit, who has been the guest of Miss Anna Pratt the past few days, has returned.

Since the present pound master assumed his office the number of licensed dogs in the city has increased from 47 to 89.

Henry Stoup, for a good many years with the Ypsilanti Paper Co., is the new manager of the Peninsular paper mills.

The recently organized Girls' club of the Normal gave their initial social function at the gymnasium Saturday evening.

A. R. Graves has been called to Detroit by the serious illness of his brother, John Graves, judge of the U. S. court.

Frank Woodman, of Detroit, returned home Wednesday after spending a few days with his parents in this city.

Four well known young society people made a trip to Ann Arbor and return on foot in just five hours Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Hiram Fisk left Friday for Indianapolis, where she will join her husband, who is engaged in business in that city.

Registration for the special election to vote on giving \$6,000 for a site for the Normal science building, will be held tomorrow.

Clarence Holley has bought a half interest in the Henry grocery store, and the firm in the future will be Henry & Holley.

The Arm of Honor fraternity of the Normal will give their annual banquet at the Cadillac hotel in Detroit Friday evening, Feb. 21.

Prof. and Mrs. Lodeman and Miss Lodeman entertained a small company of friends in a charming manner Saturday evening.

Ed. Showerman, formerly of this city, is spending a few days with his cousin, Frank Showerman. His home at present is at Lyons, It.

The Eastern Star initiated Mr. and Mrs. Marsch and Miss Meyers into their order Monday evening, after which a banquet was held.

Felix Duffy, the shoemaker, narrowly escaped serious burns last evening, through kindling a fire at the shoe shop by means of kerosene.

The Young People's society of the Baptist church will hold a social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher Thursday evening.

Mrs. Eva Gerise has accepted a position as traveling saleswoman for a Detroit millinery house, but will continue her millinery store in this city.

The board of public works have at last located a supply of second hand street lamps such as are used in the city, and an order has been placed for 60.

Mrs. McHarg, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stevens, the past few weeks, returned to Washington, D. C., Saturday.

The cars on the D. Y. A. A. & J. road are heated by hot water and not by steam as may have been inferred from an item in these columns a few days ago.

The Kappa Psi sorority of the Normal Conservatory will entertain their sister society, the Harmonious Mystics, at the Conservatory Saturday afternoon.

Adma college has petitioned to be admitted to the Intercollegiate Athletic association, in which the present members are the Normal, Olivet, M. A. C. and Albion.

The last of the preliminary debates to select the Normal team to meet M. A. C. in the spring will be held this evening in the recitation room of Prof. J. S. Lathers.

The Literary club met yesterday afternoon. Subjects discussed were "That Commercial Octopus—Trusts," by Miss Knight and "The Weather Bureau," by Miss Norris.

The firm that has been known as Stumpenhuisen & Seymour will hereafter be known as Stumpenhuisen & Pierce. Mr. Bert Pierce having bought out the former partner.

The K. O. T. M. held a public installation of officers last evening, being assisted by the Ann Arbor knights, who, to the number of 40, invaded the city with fireworks and a band.

Insley LeFurge, a prominent farmer of Ypsilanti township, became careless in the use of a corn shredder Friday, with the result that his right arm were frightfully mangled.

The Whist club had the opportunity of examining two beautiful trophy cups last evening, to assist them in making a choice of the cup they are to present to the State Whist association.

Miss Clara Slauson, the 8 years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Slauson, of the Prospect Avenue laundry, died Friday morning at 3 o'clock of diphtheria, and was buried at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The Senate bartender was recently arrested for alleged assault, but it developed that he had simply ejected with some force a disturber, so he was released on suspended sentence by Justice Childs.

Co. I is holding two drills a week to be ready for the coming battalion inspection by Maj. Granger of Ann Arbor. The company has voted to allow no outsiders to use the gymnasium or the billiard tables.

A Paper Workers' union has been organized. A meeting was held last Sunday at which officers were elected. The union has rented the hall occupied by the Federal union and will continue to occupy it jointly with the Federal union.

The Huron street pedro club met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stowell Tuesday evening. First prizes were won by Mrs. M. Pierce and Chas. O'Connor, and the consolation prizes by Mrs. Chas. O'Connor and N. Carpenter.

"When We Were Twenty-One" is a constant succession of tearful laughter. Certainly this comedy is the best England or France has favored us with for years, and it has made an immense hit in Boston, Chicago and New York.

George Whitmore, an employee in the Harding & Schaffer hardware store, recently thrust a lighted match into an empty gasoline can to permit of an investigation of the bottom of the can, with the result that he lost the greater portion of his hair.

The stockholders in the canning factory held a meeting Tuesday evening and discussed matter of incorporating. Fred W. Green was given this subject to look after with instructions to consult with the Hastings company of Chicago, who have charge of the construction of the plant. A committee was also appointed to solicit acreage in the lines of the things it is proposed to can. Work is now progressing on the buildings.

A very pleasant surprise was given Mrs. Rachel Hawkins at her home on Ellis street Saturday evening by a few of her old friends, it being the occasion of her 84th birthday. They left her tokens of their esteem which were greatly appreciated.

Six ladies of Ypsilanti hive, L. O. T. M., Dr. Allen Murray and Misses Barbara Disbrow, Nora Dawson, Christie J. Alber, Dora and Hattie Fletcher, attended the public installation held by the Lady Maccabees of Willis, Monday evening.

Photographers having views of Ypsilanti or vicinity are invited to forward them to the Times or Argus office, as the new curtain for the opera house is to be decorated with a bit of local scenery, the choice to be made by a committee to be named by the Times and Argus.

The steam heater in one of the D. Y. A. A. & J. cars blew up Thursday night about 9 o'clock with a loud report, and the car was badly shattered in the immediate vicinity of the broken pipes. Fortunately the car was in the barn at the time of the explosion and no one was on board.

A number of good pictures of views near Ypsilanti have come in for the contest to decide the designing of the new opera house curtain. The owner of the picture selected by an impartial committee will be given four box seats to any one play of the season.

The D. A. R. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Carlos Childs Saturday afternoon. The program consisting in a paper by Mrs. Childs and "table talk" on Washington's early life, courtship and marriage, as Friday, Jan. 17, was the anniversary of Washington's wedding.

Mr. Fred Ellis will be the bass soloist in the rendering of "The Holy City" at the annual choir concert at the Mt. Pleasant Normal this spring. The choir is directed by Prof. H. C. Maybee, who was formerly director of music in the Ypsilanti public schools and chorister of the Episcopal church.

Of the Normalites who graduated last term the following have positions: A. J. Wood, science and mathematics at Cheboygan; Gertrude Greeley, grade work at Marcellus; Charlotte Paton, arithmetic and geography in fifth, sixth and seventh grades at Sault Ste. Marie; Frances Mercer, grade work at Durand.

Health Officer Briton says that the diphtheria is confined to the Slauson residence, except that there is one suspected case on the same street. The clothing at the Prospect Avenue laundry, which is operated by the Slausons, has been repeatedly fumigated, and it will be delivered to the owners by the health officers in person.

The mail delivery by stage from the Ypsilanti postoffice to Belleville will be discontinued Jan. 31, so the Belleville people will hereafter be delayed somewhat in receiving their local mail, which must be sent to Detroit. The Belleville stage with its driver, Jefferson Palmer, is a well-known sight, as for many years it has made daily trips.

The next term of the Ypsilanti high school begins Monday, Feb. 3. New classes will be formed in arithmetic, algebra, bookkeeping, trigonometry, botany, geology, English history, American literature, civics, grammar and reviews. The classes in Latin, French, German, literature, physics and chemistry begun last fall are to be continued.

Justice Joslyn sent four hoboes to the county jail Saturday with a sentence of 30 days hanging over each for drunkenness. They had been cutting ice for the Michigan Central, got drunk and in a fight with each other in a saloon. The proprietor threw them out and the police picked them up on the street. For 30 days they will be deprived of liquor.

Through the efforts of Congressman H. C. Smith a \$200 raise in salary has been granted Frank Creech, the assistant in the postoffice. Postmaster Wells was recently given a raise on account of the increase of business at the office, and congressmen secured a \$100 increase for three of the clerks, so the Ypsilanti postoffice has fared well during the past year.

The school board has engaged Miss Clara Southworth of Ovid to fill the vacancy in the Central school caused by the resignation of Miss Isabel Wrigley. Miss Southworth is a student in the State Normal College at Ypsilanti. She takes up her work tomorrow. Miss Southworth is a cousin of H. E. Southworth of West Oliver street, and I. G. Southworth of Cedar street.—Owosso Argus.

B. S. Boyce has resigned the management of the Peninsular Paper Co., the resignation to take effect at once, although on request he will remain with the company until Feb. 1. Mr. Boyce was bookkeeper for the concern for three years, and for the past seven years has been manager, during which time the hourly output of the plant has been increased from 9,000 to 28,000 pounds.

The "trip around the world" that will be given by the Episcopal ladies next month will be made possible by the co-operation of several householders, who will transfer their several homes into representations of Berlin, Germany, Florence, Italy, the capital of Japan and Washington, with the Parish House as Boston. The traveler appears on the scene at Boston, the church house, and after he has inspected the city of beans and culture he will be conducted to the Huston residence across the street, where he will find himself in the capital of Germany. Further down the street, at the home of A. Beyers, will be a Japanese city and the Hemphill residence will be in Florence, while the American capitol will be located at the Quirk home.

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The Ypsilanti high school annually observes Michigan day. The state was admitted into the Union Jan. 26, 1837, and as the 26th occurs on Sunday this year the observance takes place Monday morning, Jan. 27, at 9 o'clock in the chapel. The principal address will be delivered by D. A. Hammond of the Argus, upon the subject "Gen. Lewis Cass." The public are cordially invited to be present.

The annual meeting of the Peninsular at Pontiac this week. Mr. Ned the following board of directors elected: D. L. Quirk, Sr., S. B. Hutchinson, H. L. Stoup, Philo Ferrier, B. F. Boyce, J. E. Beal and D. L. Quirk, Jr. The board was organized by electing the following officers: President, D. L. Quirk, Sr.; vice president, H. L. Stoup; secretary, D. L. Quirk, Jr.; treasurer, D. L. Quirk, Sr.

The Normal literary societies, the Athenaeum, Olympic and Crescent, will hold a "public" Friday evening, Jan. 24, when a literary and musical program will be rendered, with the presentation of a short farce as a conclusion. This is the reviving of an old custom at the Normal, and other similar entertainments will be given during the year, if the venture proves successful and popular this week.

A writ of certiorari has been granted by the supreme court in the case of Dearborn vs. the D. Y. A. A. & J. Dearborn adopted an ordinance requiring the company to build crosswalks the full width of the streets wherever the tracks cross a street, and the Wayne circuit court granted a mandamus to compel the road to comply with the ordinance. The case will be reviewed by the supreme court.

About 60 couples attended the dancing party given by the International Congress Tuesday evening, at the L. O. T. M. hall, east side. After short business meeting the company were entertained at cards and dancing, after which a banquet was served. The company in this city, which consisted of about 40 members, has doubled its membership since the state organizer, John Angle, has been in the city. The company will give informal dancing parties every two weeks, the next one occurring Tuesday, Feb. 4.

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## Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The candy pull last Friday night was a success, so was the candy. If you want to know who can make the best candy for pulling come to us.

A special board meeting was held Monday at the rooms.

We haven't pupils enough to satisfy us in singing, arithmetic, grammar and German. These classes meet regularly Monday and Tuesday at 7:30. There is room for more in the mission class, meeting Saturday night at 8, and in the union Bible class, Thursday at 8.

A new class will be formed in grammar Friday at 7:30.

The entertainment committee must meet soon. Saturday at 7 will suit most of the committee.

Sewing school meets Saturday at 2:30.

Dr. McAndrew will lead the meeting on Sunday next at 4:30.

On Wednesday, Jan. 29, the Stitch Exchange will meet with Mrs. Ben Boyce on Pearl street. You are invited to bring your fancy work and a dime.

The First Presbyterian church, Washington st., corner Emmet, Robert K. Wharton, minister. Morning worship next Sunday at 10:30, with sermon; evening worship at 7:30, with brief sermon. The chorus and quartette choir will lead the service of praise, morning and evening. Young People's meeting, 6:30 in the evening. Sunday school, 12 m. The People's service Wednesday, from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to all services.

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If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

# Great January Clearing Sale

On Wednesday, January 8th, we shall begin what we believe to be the most extensive Clearing Sale ever held in Ypsilanti and at the lowest prices.

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## ALVAH WORDEN DIED SUDDENLY

Made Much Money in Whip Sockets

SPENT IT IN LITIGATION

In Defending His Right to Manufacture What He Had Invented

Alvah Worden, one of Ypsilanti's best known citizens died Saturday suddenly, of heart trouble. He was about town as usual Friday, and when called next morning at 7:15 he responded: "Yes, I'm coming." In a few moments, his son heard a noise and went into his room and found him lying in his chair. He was all dressed but his shoes. His death was immediate and was occasioned by paralysis.

Alvah Worden was born in Pembroke township, Genesee county, N. Y., March 24, 1820, and was consequently nearly 82 years of age. His father, John S. Worden, came to Michigan in 1827 and located 160 acres of land in Superior township, where he lived until 1860, moving then to this city, where he died in 1875. Alvah Worden attended the schools of Superior township and when young learned the tinners' trade. In 1843 he entered into business in Ypsilanti, which he continued for 20 years, after two years' retirement he again engaged in business, but retired again in 1869. In 1868 he was married to Della R. Haven, daughter of G. R. Haven. He engaged a son, Frank Worden, who was engaged in the veneering business with him and also an adopted son, Joseph Worden.

Mr. Worden was a man of great inventive genius and started into the business of making whip sockets, at first on a small scale, making them by hand. His business grew rapidly and he amassed quite a fortune. He was turning out whip sockets on a large scale, when Anson Searles, of New Jersey, sued him for infringement of patent and got out an injunction preventing him from manufacturing. The suit dragged along for 13 years, when it was decided in Worden's favor in the supreme court. In the meantime the patents had expired and Worden had lost his money, spending \$50,000 or \$60,000 in the litigation. Cheaper whipsockets were on the market and he had thus lost the fount of his inventive genius.

Mr. Worden was an active man, even in his later years and every summer accompanied his son Frank to the north woods to look up birdseye maple. Last summer, over 80 years old as he was, he walked 8 or 12 miles a day.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 from the house.

### WOMEN AND JEWELS.

Jewels, candy, flowers man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman may risk her health to get a coveted gem, then let her fortify herself against the insidious consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all, but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds, and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. Green's reliable remedies at any drug store. Get Green's Special Almanac.

## GROUT TREATED TO CIGARS

Waiter's Mistake Caused Laugh on New Gotham Comptroller.

Edward M. Grout, comptroller of the city of New York, dropped into the Montauk club the other night, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. He was tired but satisfied with his first day's work in a new office, replete with opportunities for serving the public. He sat down at a table and had a pleasant chat with a half a dozen friends.

By and by it was time for a fresh cigar, and Mr. Grout's favorite box was handed to him. He took out a weed, lighted it and in the enthusiasm of the first whiff, which every smoker understands, exclaimed:

"I like these panatelas. Here, boy, get a box of them and take it around to the house."

The waiter bowed obsequiously. He thought he understood. Then he got a box of a hundred cigars and went from top to bottom of the clubhouse, asking every one to "have one with Mr. Grout." When all had been served, there were eleven cigars left. The waiter put them in front of the comptroller along with the check to be signed.

Mr. Grout was surprised.

"What are these?" he asked mildly.

"What were left of the cigars, sir," the waiter answered. "I don't think I have missed anybody."

"What do you mean?"

"Didn't you tell me to get a box and take it round the house, sir?"

"I told you to take it around to the house," remarked the comptroller grimly. "But never mind. I guess I can stand it."

The waiter lost himself. Mr. Grout's friends roared with laughter, and finally the comptroller himself found the mirth contagious. But before the evening was over, by especial arrangement, every clubman who had enjoyed Mr. Grout's inebriant hospitality took occasion to thank him elaborately for the treat. There has not been so much fun in the Montauk club for a month of Sundays.

## HAS AN OFFICE IN A BALLOON

Architect of St. Louis Fair Able to Oversee All the Work.

Director of Works Isaac S. Taylor of the St. Louis fair recently announced his plan of supervising the work at the exposition grounds from a captive air balloon. The idea is original with Mr. Taylor, and he intends to make the floating observatory an important factor in his work of general supervision. The scheme is a novel and interesting one, and its author believes that in no other way can he so advantageously survey and direct.

The balloon and its appliances will be modeled after those used by the United States army officers during the campaign around Santiago during the war with Spain. The aerial office of Mr. Taylor will be furnished with telescopes and field glasses for observation, and a system of telephones will enable him to convey his orders and directions to his subordinate architects and to the mechanics and other workmen scattered throughout the grounds.

It will also be furnished with photographic appliances, and photographs of the work in its various stages of progress taken from the balloon will be a novel substitute for the "birdseye views" of expositions hitherto produced. On Sundays and holidays the balloon will be at the disposal of sightseers and visitors. In outlining his plan Mr. Taylor is quite enthusiastic and resents in advance the idea of any incredulous person who may be disposed to think that he is "up in the air."

## SHREWD "BOY BROKER."

John Peter Kohl of Chicago Amazes Stock Exchange Men.

The "boy broker" of fiction is being discounted at Chicago by a boy broker in real life in the person of fourteen-year-old John Peter Kohl, says the New York Evening Journal. Many Chicago business men point to this youth as the youngest Napoleon of finance. He is amazing seasoned stock exchange men today by his successful transactions.

John Peter Kohl began his career at the age of eleven. At fourteen he is no green, raw beginner. He is astute, acute, experienced and long headed. Here is what he did in one hour's work: He bought fifty shares of Wabash B's at 67 and sold them at 70, making a profit of \$150. Then he purchased fifty shares of Reading at 56 and sold them in a few minutes at 57, realizing \$50. Then he went in for twenty shares of Erie common and made \$50 more. He wound up the hour and the day's work by taking twenty shares of Canadian Pacific at 114½ and selling them at 116, which netted him \$30. The hour's work brought him a profit of \$250.

## A Problem in Tree Preservation.

Probably the largest contract ever let in this country for the transplanting of big trees is that just entered into for the world's fair in St. Louis. The site of the world's fair is Forest park, in which there are many large trees. Actuated by a desire to preserve as many as possible of the trees and to have their shade in the broad avenues of the exposition, the director of works will have 700 trees, each twelve to eighteen inches in diameter, lifted and replanted where they will remain permanently. Special machines will be used, and the transplanting will be done while the trees are dormant and the ground is deeply frozen, so as to carry as much earth with the roots as possible. Very great care is required for a successful operation, and the trees will be given the best of care and attention in order to assure their thrifty growth. The trees are principally maples and elms.

## CAMPAIGN OPENED FOR A CITY PARK

The citizens' park committee have decided to open a campaign for a park near the center of the city, and to have the movement well under way by spring they have appointed C. C. Wortley and F. T. Newton a committee to begin the preliminary investigation.

The site on the east bank of the river, between the Congress and Cross street bridges, is regarded with the greatest favor, but one or more of the owners of the property are at present unwilling to sell, consequently it may be necessary to go elsewhere.

The council will be asked to take the matter into consideration, and the committee will continue their investigation, with the view to a joint meeting of committee and aldermen, to bring the question into such shape that it may be referred to the people.

A number of citizens, including members of the committee, together with Mayor Thompson and Ald. Van Fossen, were dining by C. M. Hemphill at the Occidental Friday evening, discussed the park question and appointed the land looking committee.

## BLOWN TO ATOMS.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure Constipation and Sick Headache. Only 25c at C. W. Rogers & Co.'s and Morford & Smith's drug stores.

## A FATAL CASE OF DIPHTHERIA

The 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Slauson, proprietors of the Prospect Avenue Laundry, died Friday of diphtheria, and as the laundry work is done in the house the patrons of the establishment have been much alarmed lest the germs have become infected with the clothes.

Reports were about the city Saturday that the case was one of "black diphtheria" and that a number of persons had been exposed from the laundry, consequently the board of health called a special meeting Saturday afternoon to consider the question, with the result that Health Officer Britton gave out the following statement to a reporter:

"The case, which was not 'black diphtheria' but the common diphtheria, was reported to me on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock, and at 9 o'clock I had established a quarantine which, as far as I know, was not broken. The child died Friday morning, and the greatest care was taken at the funeral, the remains, the casket, the hearse and the persons attending all being uninfected. The laundry is separate from the living rooms and was not contaminated at any time, but to prevent trouble and avert criticism the clothes were held for fumigation, and are still being subjected to the action of the disinfectants. There is not the slightest cause for alarm, for no one was exposed outside of the family, and no danger is to be apprehended from the laundry."

Dr. Britton said that the little girl was exposed in Detroit, having played with toys that had belonged to a child that died of diphtheria in the fall, and that there is no reason to believe the disease has any hold in Ypsilanti.

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## TWO SUMMERS.

Summer at the Shore and Summer in the Store.

It is sometimes remarked that the requirements of society entail as much hard work upon a woman as she would perform in office or in store. That may be true. The woman who dances the night through may travel more miles than are walked by the woman behind the counter. Her social obligations may be as exacting as business duties. But if the society woman dances all night, she can sleep all day. If her calls must be duly paid, she has her carriage in which to drive. She is not at the mercy of an



alarm clock in the morning, or of store routine during the day. And, above all, after the round of winter gaieties, there's the sea shore for the summer, with its freedom and its health giving ocean breezes. The chances of health are all in favor of the girl that goes to the shore and all against the girl that stays in the store.

### SUMMER IN THE CITY

Is luxurious surroundings. What must summer in a city store be? At the best it is trying to nerves and temper. The long, languid days, the oppressive atmosphere, the monotonous round of duties are all trying. And when to this is added womanly weakness, the condition is well-nigh unbearable. And yet it must be borne for money must be earned if life is to be sustained.

Every working woman owes it to herself to bring her physical health to the highest standard of excellence—not only because it increases her happiness, but also because it increases her earning capacity. It is a cruel fact that the floor walker has, as a rule, no sympathy with the backache and weakness which impel a woman to seek an occasional moment's rest for her aching back, if only by leaning rigidly against the shelves behind her.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. Hundreds of thousands of women have testified to this fact.

"I write a few lines to thank you for your advice and grand remedies, to which I owe my health, and perhaps my life," says Miss Flora I. Greer, of 107 Howe Street, Akron, Ohio. "My troubles started during my childhood but did not prove serious until 1893, when I met with an accident caused by a horse running away. From that time I did not see a well day. I suffered at every monthly period with terrible headache, irritation of the spine and pains in my heels so I could not bear them resting on the soft pillow. What I suffered could never describe. I had soreness through my hips and ovaries all the time and constant backache. Was afraid to be alone, imagined that everyone hated me, and everything looked like a mountain. One doctor would tell me one thing and another would say something altogether different, but they only relieved me. I then wrote to you in April, 1899, through

the advice of a neighbor, and followed your advice from April to July. I took five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and four of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and five vials of 'Pellets.' Have not had a single symptom of my old trouble so far. Can sleep good nights, work hard, and can eat solid and substantial food without distress. There are several of my friends taking your medicine with the best results since they have seen how they helped me."

### WORK IS PLEASURE

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# AN ADVENTURE ON THIN ICE

THEY were standing on the north shore of Craigie's pond, and Ripley said:

"I'd agree to ride across there on a load of bricks. It is ridiculous for your uncle to say that the ice is not strong."

He addressed Miss Allen. Indeed, he had not spoken a dozen words directly to John Kemp in half a mile that the three had walked together.

"Craigie's pond," remarked Kemp, also studiously addressing the girl, "is a mighty uncertain piece of water. When in doubt, don't go near it. That is the way to keep dry."

He was a native of those parts, and the other two were visitors, Ripley from Maine, where ice may be relied upon, and Gertrude Allen from Boston, where any policeman will tell you whether the pond on the Common will "bear."

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ice was an inch thick or a yard. He was conscious only of a high, inspiring emulation.

They made a handsome pair beyond a doubt, and Kemp would have had a bad half hour could he have seen them. They exhibited their skill in turn and in the intervals of the contest joined hands in graceful pas de deux.

It was when they were occupied with one of these ice dances and had worked out far from the shore that Craigie's pond suddenly revealed to them a full



"WELL, MISS ALLEN, HOW DO YOU LIKE CRAIGIE'S POND?"

knowledge of its character. The ice beneath them gave forth a sound like a gasp. Ripley, who was skating backward, felt himself sinking. In the flash of time that was allowed him and with the last effort of which he was capable he put his strength upon Gertrude's hands, throwing her to one side, in the direction of the shore.

She did not fall, and by a miracle she escaped the break in the ice. Ripley went through and into the water, head and heels, but he rose in the break by great good fortune and to his unspeakable joy beheld Gertrude safe.

"Keep back!" he called to her. "I'll get out all right. Go ashore!"

She stood just where she was, facing him and trembling so that he could see her quake. She uttered some faint, strange cries, in the nature of prayers, perhaps, and certainly not loud enough to be heard except in heaven. But she neither fled nor came to the rescue, as he had feared she might.



JOINED HANDS IN GRACEFUL PAS DE DEUX

must be all of forty feet high. It's one of the wonders of Craigie's pond, and there are plenty more."

Ripley walked slowly ashore. He was much in doubt about the ice. It was thin; that was the truth about it, and it did not look right. Unfortunately, however, the experiment had satisfied Gertrude as to the pond's safety. She expressed no definite opinion about it, however, as they strolled back to her uncle's house, but she cleverly stimulated Ripley's desire to show what he could do on skates.

The result was just what she expected. He confided to her that he should go out to the pond secretly that afternoon, and she said that she would go with him.

To do Ripley justice, he had no notion that Gertrude would go upon the ice, and he was amazed when they reached the pond to see her produce a pair of skates from a bag which he had supposed contained only luncheon.

"I can't let you go out there," he exclaimed. "I've a right to risk my own life, which, by the way, has become worthless on account of your outrageous flirtation with Jack Kemp!"

"Put my skates on for me, and don't be silly," said Gertrude.

He complied, protesting, and then he adjusted his own. Gertrude promised to stand close to the shore, and she did so for about two minutes. Then, just as Ripley concluded a bit of outer edge work which he considered rather good, she glided out upon the ice with the grace of a snow wraith borne by the wind.

Ripley was an expert and a judge of the art, and before the girl had taken a dozen strokes he knew that he was in the presence of his peer. Her grace excited him; he forgot whether the

"But we've tried the ice there. We know it's strong," said he. "Don't be afraid."

He stepped off the rock and extended his hand to her. She held back. He gently drew her forward, and the next instant they both scrambled to the smokestack again, while in the place where they had stood appeared an ominous marking upon the ice like a great spider's web.

"I'll tell you what's a fact, Miss Allen," said the young man, with an effort to be conventional. "It's a warm day, and this ice is melting faster than any ice I ever saw before. Upon my soul," he added, "it's beginning to rain!"

In fact, some drops fell from the leaden sky upon his outstretched hand. Gertrude caught him by the arm.

"Do you realize what that means?" she cried. "We shall have to stay here forever!"

"Well, it mightn't be more than two or three weeks," said he cheerfully. "This weather can't last always. And with you for company!"

"Do you suppose it would do any good to scream?" she asked suddenly. "Let's try."

"I'd be ashamed," said he, glancing at the shore as if he feared detection, and at that moment the bulky form of Jack Kemp appeared in the path between the spruces.

For fully half a minute Kemp stared at them, and not a word was spoken. Then he called in a voice that seemed inappropriate to the seriousness of the occasion:

"I say! What are you two doing out there?"

"We're waiting for a cold snap," replied Ripley pleasantly.

"We've been skating, and the ice is all melting, and we can't get ashore," said Gertrude.

Kemp took a seat on a rock.

"The way the ice melts in Craigie's pond," said he "is scandalous. It is said to be due to a peculiar geological formation which lets warm water into this pond from the lower regions of the earth. A Harvard professor was up here one time, and he told me—"

"A little less geology and a little more assistance, Mr. Kemp," said Ripley, "would seem to meet the requirements of the present situation."

Kemp took a cigar out of his pocket and slowly lighted it.

"This is a hard proposition," he said. "I must think it over. If Miss Allen had taken the advice of sensible people—"

Ripley, glancing at Gertrude, perceived that her face was crimson.

"I can't stand it either," he said. "Shall we make a dash? The ice will surely hold if we go fast."

She nodded and took his hand. The next instant they were skimming toward the shore. But in that very spot where Ripley had stood in the morning when Kemp had startled him with mention of the great depth below Gertrude was seized once more with uncontrollable trembling.

Feeling that she would fall, Ripley drew her toward him involuntarily, while his speed was checked. And then he felt the ice sinking under them. Strangely, there seemed to be plenty of time and yet not time enough to move.

Ripley's arm was around her; his face was close to hers. She clasped him suddenly, but not with the clutch of fear. He knew it in that instant for the last impulse of her heart, for an embrace excited—hallowed, indeed—by the near presence of death.

And then they stood together, stood in water not over a foot deep, stood, heaven knows how long, in that ridiculous position, trying to realize that they were still a part of this terrestrial scheme.

"Kemp, you scoundrel," cried Ripley as he waded ashore with Gertrude in his arms. "I thought you said there was a hundred feet of water there!"

"Did I?" said Kemp calmly. "I must have meant the other side of the pond. This side is as flat as your hand out to that rock and beyond it. But, you see, I wanted to scare you, and I did it too. That rock, by the way, is about as tall as a good sized trunk."

"And the shoal water extends beyond it?" gasped Ripley. "How far?"

"Almost to the deep hole where you took your bath."

Ripley pressed his hand to his forehead.

"You're a wonderfully lucky liar, Jack Kemp," said he. "I died a thousand deaths with this blessed child in my arms before I reached that rock. And it seems that about 900 of them were unnecessary."

"But I lived a thousand lives," he added, turning to Gertrude, "while we were sinking together afterward."

"And I a thousand also," she whispered.

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STOOD IN WATER NOT OVER A FOOT DEEP

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## UNIQUE IN JOURNALISM.

New York Times' Candid Admission of a Serious Error.

### CONCERNING GERMAN WAR SOARE

Unqualified Disclaimer of Views Contained in One of Its Special Dispatches From Washington—No Attempt Made to Extemperate the Seriousness of Its Misstatements.

The New York Times published on Sunday, Dec. 29, a special dispatch from Washington in which was strongly suggested the imminence of war with Germany over the Monroe doctrine in its special applicability to the situation in Venezuela. The correspondent responsible for the dispatch stated with a positiveness calculated to carry conviction that the United States government fully appreciated the situation and was both "alert and prepared."

A day later the New York Journal criticised the Times' dispatch, and the New York Evening Post also took exception to the suggestion contained in the "information" from Washington. Then followed on the part of the Times an example of candor and frank though dignified self abasement probably unparalleled in American journalism. There was no effort to set itself partially right by demonstrating that some contemporary was even more wrong. The fault or mistake was fully acknowledged, and there was no advancing even of mitigating circumstances.

This is the editorial which the Times published conspicuously in its issue of Tuesday, Dec. 31:

The publication in the Times on Sunday of a foolish and unwarrantable dispatch concerning the possibility of trouble between the United States and Germany over the attempt of the Germans to collect with warships money owing them by Venezuela has called forth the following comment from our neighbor the New York Journal:

On the first page of the New York Times yesterday appeared a Washington dispatch headed, "Possibility of a War With the German Empire." The alleged possibility rested on the disturbances in Venezuela. It was asserted that our government had the chances of a clash with Germany constantly in mind and was preparing for it.

Sensational Journalism may be either good or bad. It appears to us that this is distinctly sensational journalism of the bad kind. The statement that we are contemplating the possibility of a war with Germany can be productive of nothing but mischief. Of course it is well to make all European powers understand that none of them can acquire territory in America without fighting the United States. A thorough understanding of this general principle must promote peace, but there is no excuse for singling out Germany, as if the Monroe doctrine were invented expressly for her.

These observations are judicious and sensible. The censure which they convey is fully deserved by the Times. It is not the policy or the practice of the Times to give place to baseless and mischievous reports, to which category the Washington dispatch in question clearly belongs. The conductors of the Times endeavor faithfully to use due diligence to exclude false news and noxious trash from its columns. By one of those accidents or oversights which sometimes baffle the intentions of finite men this Washington dispatch about Germany got into the columns of the Times. For the harm it has done we feel more regret than we can express. As our neighbor The Evening Post justly says: "It is not creditable to a respectable newspaper that it should publish a dispatch from Washington, as The Times did yesterday, representing that there is danger of war between Germany and the United States over the complications in Venezuela. There is an utter lack of evidence to support such a sensation." The Times does not willingly or with intent do things not creditable to it or likely to impair its reputation or diminish the confidence of its readers in the correctness of its news and the conservatism of its principles.

We accordingly declare that it is within the knowledge of this newspaper that the relations between Germany and the United States are wholly amicable and that the belief in their continuance is based upon reasons of unusual validity. The procedures of Germany in her preparations to compel Venezuela to keep faith expose her neither to reproach nor to suspicion on our part. They have not been taken in disregard of precedent or of the accepted principles of international law. Not only has she done nothing in contravention of the Monroe doctrine, but it may be said that her courteous and friendly communications to our government advance that doctrine one step further toward universal acceptance as a part of the unquestioned law of nations. We have no reason to regard Germany save as a good friend, and the Times wishes to make its disclaimer of the unfortunate Washington dispatch to which we have referred as broad and unreserved as language can make it.

### Lipton's Heart Set on America's Cup.

J. Frederick Lipton, a yachtbroker, who has been in Holland, Belgium and England since Oct. 30, arrived at New York on the St. Paul recently. He said he had a half hour's conversation with Sir Thomas Lipton in London. "Sir Thomas told me," said Mr. Lipton, "that he would challenge for the cup until he either won it or was convinced that it could not be won. I certainly think Sir Thomas is sincerely in earnest and that his desire to win the cup comes from sporting motives only. I wanted to get him to talk about something else, but his heart is set on that cup."

## CHINESE COURT'S RETURN

Experiences of the Emperor and Dowager Empress.

The Chinese court, which has just returned to Peking, had been absent from the capital of the empire for almost seventeen months, according to the New York Times. The legations in Peking were rescued on Aug. 14, 1900, and the court fled from the city as soon as it was evident that Peking would be captured by the allies. Just before the flight the empress dowager ordered three officials who advised surrender to be beheaded.

Prince Su, who accompanied the emperor and dowager empress in their flight as far as Taiyuenfoo, has given an account of the journey. According to his statement, the day the court left Peking the emperor, dowager empress and their attendants traveled in carts to Kuanshi, twenty miles to the north, escorted by 3,000 soldiers of various commands. This army pillaged and murdered along the whole route.

At Kuanshi mule litters were supplied for their majesties, and thereafter the flight was continued at the rate of twenty miles daily. At Hsuanhuafoo, 120 miles from Peking, a halt was made, the journey up to there having been of the most panic stricken and disorderly nature. The soldiers even stole the meals prepared for the emperor and dowager empress. A proposition to remain at Hsuanhua was negatived, the court still being in fear of capture by the foreigners. The dowager empress did little but weep and rail at those who were responsible for her situation. The emperor reviled every one.

A long wait was made at Taiyuenfoo, but ultimately the court settled at Sianfoo, the old capital of the empire and now the capital of Shensi. There some kind of order was restored, and gradually the court regained the power among the native officials that it seemed at one time in danger of losing altogether.

That the court would ever return to Peking has been doubted by many foreigners, and it took all the persuasion of Li Hung Chang and others to induce the empress dowager to decide on the step. It is understood that she required specific assurances that she would not be molested by the foreigners before she would venture back to the capital. Even then the journey was several times broken, and threats were made that the court would remain at some point between Sianfoo and Peking.

## EXHIBITION OF A NEW LIGHT

Description of One Invented by Peter Cooper Hewitt.

Peter Cooper Hewitt, a son of Abram S. Hewitt, read a paper a few nights ago before the American Institute of Electrical Engineers on "Electric Gas Lamps and Gas Electrical Resistance Phenomena" and exhibited a new light he has obtained from gas generated from mercury and operated by a direct current of electricity, says the New York Evening Post. The hall of the society was brilliantly illuminated by five of the new lights. Mr. Hewitt's lamp consists simply of a gas tube with a bulb at one end, into which he introduces the gas generated from mercury.

The tubes when filled are connected with the ordinary electric power and the current turned on. The result is a cold, blue white light. Mr. Hewitt says he can produce his light at about one-eighth the cost of the incandescent lamps and about one-third the cost of arc lamps and of gas lamps.

## THE PRESIDENT'S BIG TASK

Formidable Bundle of Army Commissions Awaiting His Signature.

Eighteen hundred sheets of parchment, on each of which President Roosevelt must sign his name in ink! These are commissions for army officers who have been appointed or promoted, and the formidable bundle was placed on the president's desk the other day.

Let the reader take his pen and write the name "Theodore Roosevelt" plainly

*Theodore Roosevelt*

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S AUTOGRAPH.

and legibly as many times as he can in a quarter of an hour and he will form an idea of the extent of the president's task, says the New York Journal. It must be remembered that it is much harder to write on parchment than on paper.

When President Roosevelt has finished, the commissions must all be signed by the secretary of war.

### Roosevelt's Rice Dinner.

"President Roosevelt has a splendid memory," said a caller at the White House to a Washington Star reporter recently. "He remembers every small detail of even the most exciting times. Some time ago General Wheeler visited the president, and the visit immediately recalled incidents of the Santiago campaign and the fight of San Juan Hill. 'Do you remember, general,' said the president, 'that when we reached the top of the hill we found a lot of splendidly cooked rice steaming hot in the pots?' General Wheeler remembered, and the president continued: 'I thought that was the best rice I ever ate or ever saw. We were hungry, worn out and tired and had eaten nothing but canned meats for days. The cooked rice was a great blessing. It had been prepared for dinner for the Spaniards, but they had been run out of their intrenchments before they expected, and we captured the rice. I sat down to the pots and divided the rice out among the officers and men, giving an equal portion to each. It is needless to say that the feast was the most enjoyable one we had in Cuba.'"

## "DECLINED WITH THANKS."

Of all the woes a poet bears (And they are not few), Of all his troubles and his cares, His fits of feeling blue, His phrase, "Respectfully declined With thanks," beats all the pack, And he has troubles on his mind What time his stuff comes back.

Ah, yes, there's trouble on his mind That few can understand, Except the fellows of his kind, Far scattered through the land, They know what fills his life with woes And paints the future black, For they have often felt just so When their own stuff came back.

Full oft at peace with all the earth The bard awakes at morn; His heart is filled with jocund mirth, No grief he feels or scorn, But comes a ring, the postman's there, With letter laden pack, And oh, the poet's deep despair! He gets his poems back.

How proudly does he feel when he Has labored hard and made Some verse for which he hopes to be Quite handsomely repaid, How thrills he when he sends it off, But, bitter blow, alack, How madly does he rail and scoff When, catlike, it comes back!

Don't talk of other people's woes; Not one of them compares With what the struggling poet knows And grimly grins and bears. Let fate set everything amiss From now till doomsday's crack; There is no grief as great as this— To get his poems back.

Perhaps beyond the pearly gates, Where bards (and saints) abound, And where no fiend of "usual rates," No editor, is found; In bliss he will forget the pain That keeps him on the rack, And, best of all, he'll never again Receive his poems back.

Oh, you, to whom these lines are sent, Oh, man of shears and paste, In vain the time on them I've spent If made not to your taste! They may be limpy here and there, And something may be lacking; Yet kindly heed the poet's prayer, And do not send them back.

—Life.

### Georgia Nuggets.

If you want ter make a man feel satisfied wid dis worl', des tell 'im dat his time's up, en he gwine ter de next. Furrin missions is all right, but hit makes folks feel funny ter see a heathen in a beaver hat en a fur overcoat whilst we gwine roun' in a hickory stripe shirt.

Some folks wants all de gold what you kin dig fer 'em, but when it comes ter diggin' de deysef dey gits a certificate fum de doctor sayin' dat what dey needs is res'—Atlanta Constitution.

### Experiment—Ing.

They caught the little one punching the baby in the stomach.

"What are you doing?" demanded her mother.

"Jes' wanted to see if it worked the same way that my cryin' doll does," was the reply as she gave the baby a jab that made it howl. "They are all alike, ain't they?"—Chicago Post.

### Sufficient Reason.

"The trouble with me," remarked the man in the mackintosh, "when it comes to making speeches, is that I can't think on my feet."

"I don't wonder," observed the man in the imitation sealskin cap, looking at their ample proportions. "I'd be awfully embarrassed myself with a pair of feet like that."—Chicago Tribune.

### It Was Time.

"Don't you think it is time we were sending Willie to Sunday school?"

"I do—I most certainly do. Why, he asked me this morning if I didn't think that story about Jonah swallowing a whale was a little fishy."—Denver Times.

### Was Idle.

"Are you working—have you any engagement now?" asked the elastic skin man of the living skeleton.

"No," replied the other freak; "I am what is known as 'an idle curiosity.'"

—Youth's Companion.

### Professional Brevity.

Complaining Camel—Doctor, what makes my back ache so?

Dr. Monke—Carrying it. Two dollars, please.—Brooklyn Eagle.

### The Only Time.

Fresh. Cop—What did you call me for?

Kid—Willie Jones said dat ye're a servant of der people, so I wants yer to break dis candy fer me.—New York Journal.

### Courtesy.

Grumly (vacating seat in street car)—Here is a seat, madam.

Lady—No, no! Please keep your seat.

Grumly—Sorry I cannot oblige you, madam, but I get off at this corner.

### Box Office Receipts.

"Were you ever troubled with stage fright?"

"Yes, once—when I heard the manager had run off with the box office receipts."

### Close Guess.

This must be one of them sweatshops I've heard so much about.—Chicago News.

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## SALINE LIBRARY GROWING FAST

The First Year was a Proper  
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### GAS CO. MAKES MONEY

School Boys May Get a Room  
for Athletics--Other Inter-  
esting School Notes

Saline, Mich., Jan. 16.—The Saline Gas Lighting Co. have been running about three months, and last night declared a 2 per cent dividend with a surplus left in the treasury.

Mrs. Louis Lutz of Byroa is looking after business interests here.

Miss Pearl Wood has gone to her home in Sturgis for a visit. She will return to fill her former position in A. H. Humphrey & Co.'s.

Mrs. Harkness and daughter of St. Clair are visiting Mrs. Weinmann.

Davis & Co. of Ypsilanti have been looking into the advisability of starting a bakery in this village.

SALINE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

The Saline Library association has had a prosperous year, and that it is doing good work is shown by the reports at their annual meeting. The librarian, Emma L. Toozee, reported the following statistics: Number of books donated to the library, 484; number of books purchased, 25; total number of books in the library, 509. Largest number of books drawn in any one day, 87. Smallest number drawn in one day, 17. The secretary's report was as follows:

Members of the Saline L. A.—The first year's work of this organization is ended and calls for a resume of what has been accomplished, and first we would say that the year has been one of harmonious work and kindly feeling.

Four special meetings and all of the regular monthly meetings, with the exception of two, have been held by your board.

The first regularly organized meeting of the board was held Dec. 3, 1900, at which time we elected Mrs. Leonard Bassett president, Mrs. F. J. Toozee vice president, Mrs. P. W. Welennett treasurer, Mrs. Unterkircher secretary and Miss Jennie Brown corresponding secretary. At this time we had no money, no books and no book case. There was, however, an ardent desire for a library on the part of a large number of our citizens and much enthusiasm expressed on the part of the association members. That this is true has been manifested by the increased interest taken in the advantages of the library by our people since its establishment.

About Dec. 10 books to the number of 10 were donated and the need of a library room presenting itself, a petition was drawn up and presented to the village council asking for the use of the council room for one year. The council unanimously granted the petition, for which they deserve and should have the thanks of the entire community.

The library was opened for the reception of books Dec. 20 and books were drawn by the members of the association the first Friday afternoon in January and on each succeeding Friday afternoon during the year.

Thanks are due especially to the M. E. society for the bookcase which they donated and to Mr. Orrin Briggs and Mr. J. H. Barr and others who kindly gave their time and labor to the improvement and enlargement of the case; also to the High School for the Christmas gift of \$10, to the senior class for the special gift of \$2.95, and to other individuals who have given money or labor during the year, and to those who have so generously furnished the fuel.

On February 2 a meeting of the association was held in this room for the purpose of incorporating the association. All legal formalities were complied with and we became in due time a regularly incorporated body. We thank Mr. Fish and Mr. Avery for the kind advice and services rendered us at that time.

April 18, a lecture was given by Lou J. Beauchamp, under the auspices of the library, which was of a high order and resulted in net proceeds of \$5.25.

With this money was purchased an accession book, in which our librarian has recorded a permanent history of every book belonging to the library, and which is open for inspection at the library at all times.

Trusting that the year upon which we are about to enter may be one of undiminished prosperity, and pledging our earnest efforts to the best interests of the community in this work this report is respectfully submitted.

### SALINE SCHOOL NOTES.

Tuesday morning Mr. Toozee spoke on the bequest that Andrew Carnegie has made to the several cities for the purpose of establishing libraries. He also read an article upon the proposed Carnegie institution to be established at Washington, for the purpose of higher education and research work and not to compete with the state universities.

The first meeting of the High School Literary society was held Friday afternoon and was a great success. The president appointed as judges Rose Sanford, Margaret Sears, and George Crittenden. The recitation, reading and music were all well rendered. The debating was carried on in an enthusiastic manner, both sides producing some very strong argument. The judges decided for the affirmative, which claimed greater benefit to the student from a thorough study of arithmetic than from an equally thorough study of grammar.

Harold Rouse has returned of his classes after several days' illness.

Although the number of chicken pox cases is diminishing, the attendance in the primary department is still very meagre.

The boys now have a long cherished object within their grasp—a room for athletics.

The next program for the literary society is an interesting one and bids fair to be full of spirit and enthusiasm. The English-Boer war is the subject for debate.

The sixth grade room pupils rendered a fine song at chapel Wednesday morning.

A boxful of kindergarten and primary material for first primary work arrived this week.

The botany class has been studying beets this week—sugar beets not dead beats.

Edna Kleversatt has not been at school for a few days.

Luella Nissy and Lulu Fairbanks gave a piano duet in chapel Friday morning.

Let us speak of man as we find him, And censure only what we can see. Remembering that no one can be perfect, Unless he uses Rocky Mountain Tea. Morford & Smith.

## THE STAGE

"When We Were Twenty-One," the great success in theatrical history, will be presented at the opera house in Ypsilanti this evening, and it offers not only an evening of pure enjoyment, but it teaches a lesson that no parent can afford to miss. This play is in four acts, but never has a play appeared so like real life. The members of the company are all good, and when one leaves the theatre one feels a sincere affection for the dainty Phyllis, a warm sentiment for the soldier man, the Doctor and Waddles, while the Imp is every mother's wayward son, who comes to his senses and redeems his folly. A more beautiful play was never written. It all turns around the foolishness of the lad who had been left an orphan by a friend of the four men mentioned. They had adopted him jointly, but Richard Carewe took him to his home, and was father, mother, everything to him. When the boy falls into the clutches of the "Fire-fly" and marries her, while his friends try to save him, he turns against them all, but more bitterly against Dick, as Carewe is called.

There are many complications, and some of the finest and most dramatic situations ever presented, and the whole play is simply perfect in every detail. It is so tender that tears are seen everywhere, and yet it is a comedy, full of amusing episodes, which will serve as a setting to the real jewel of the play. One thing about the whole is the naturalness of it, for there is not a single thing that might not be, and the art of the actors is so fine that it does not seem acting but reality.

### CHOIR BOYS

### GAVE A SUPPER

The vested choir of the Episcopal church enjoyed their semi-annual supper at the Parish house Tuesday night, the caterers being the ladies of the parish, who well sustained their reputation in this line.

The company gathered in the parlor 50 strong, the youthful part restraining its enthusiasm with difficulty, and shortly after 6 o'clock invaded the dining room, which was set with long tables decorated in pink and white. After full justice had been done to the excellent supper, chairs were pushed back and a short program of toasts was given.

Rev. William Gardam reviewed the work of the choir for the past year, stating that in no church of the diocese is its equal to be found, and that every year witnesses an improvement over the work of the twelve months just passed. He complimented the chorister, Mr. Arthur Bostick, very highly on his success with his charges, and assured him that his efforts are being appreciated by the parish.

D. P. Sullivan spoke in behalf of the vestry, his theme being the spiritual side of a choir boy's work. Lads cannot be expected to realize the great truths of life and religion, as do their elders, he said, but every boy should make an effort to get into the spirit of the services and to feel that the hymns and chants have a meaning.

Mr. Arthur Bostick made a few remarks, thanking the choir for their faithful services and bespeaking to same co-operation for the future.

After supper the guests adjourned to the second floor, where a program was rendered as follows: Piano solo, Mr. Bostick; vocal solo, Master Don Braisted; whistling solo, Master Jean Baumhart; piano solo, Mr. Howard Brown; recitations, Master Roy Parsons and Master Montgomery Brown; music and speeches by a phonograph.

On the close of the program the boys spent a happy hour in playing games.

The company included the choir, Rev. William Gardam and several of the vestry members and their wives.

### HOME WEDDING WEDNESDAY NIGHT

A very pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, on Cross street, Wednesday evening, Jan. 15, when their daughter, Georgia Agnes, was united in marriage to Mr. Charles Karber, of Detroit. Promptly at 8:30 o'clock the bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of the wedding march played on a harp by a lady harpist of Ann Arbor. Rev. Reed Stuart, of Detroit, performed the ceremony.

The bride was handsomely gowned in gray crepe de chene, trimmed with pink silk, and carried pink and white roses. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Sara Parsons, of this city, who wore pink mull with trimmings of white satin and lace. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Fred Karber, of Detroit. The house presented a very pretty appearance with its decorations of green and white, smilax and carnations. Mrs. Beverly served as caterer.

Among the many beautiful presents of china, cut glass and silver was a box lined in white satin containing a set each of solid silver teaspoons, table spoons, knives and forks, presented to the newly married pair by the clerks of the firm of Traver & Co., where the groom is employed. After a bounteous supper the bride and groom left on the midnight train for Detroit, where they will be at home to their friends Tuesday in February, at 59 Duffield street.

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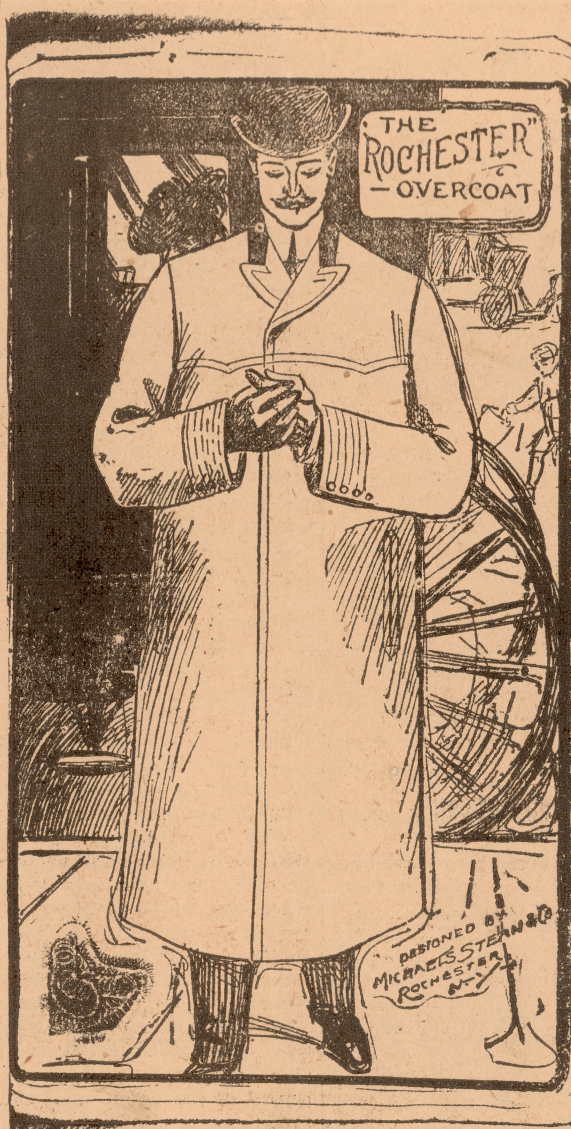
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